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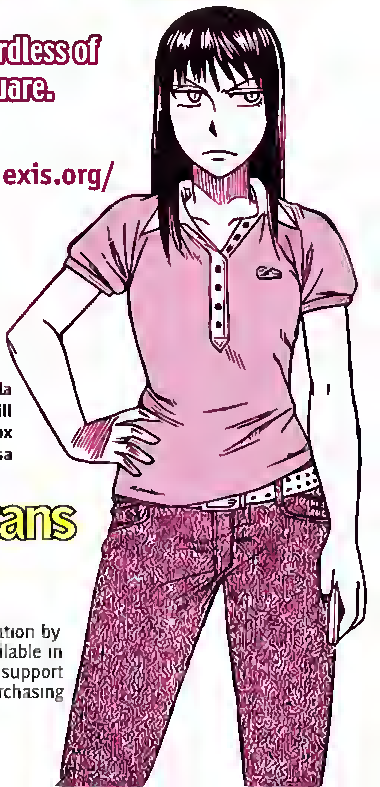

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You look good in glasses. I didn't think you would.

WHOA!

YOU LITTLE...
THIS FEELING...
What a pain.
SANAE KNOWS ABOUT IT TOO...?

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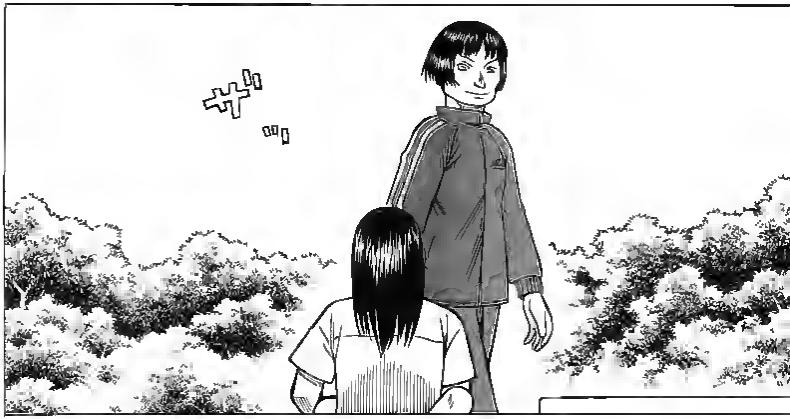
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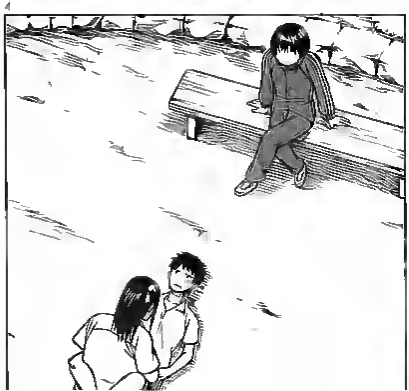

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GO AHEAD,
DON'T MIND ME.
ISN'T THAT...
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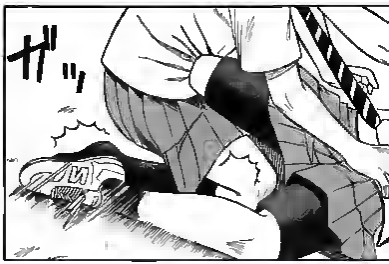
OH SHIT!?

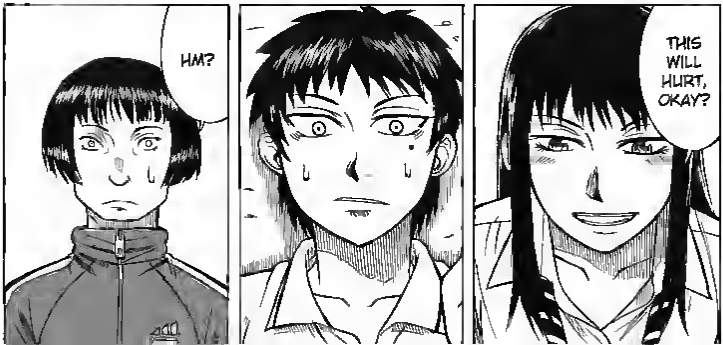
GRAB

WHOA, WHOA.



A cross arm lock would've been better there.
SO CLOSE ...
IF YOU HAD ONLY GRABBED HER RIGHT ARM, YOU COULD'VE SWEPT HER.

EVERYONE IS TRYING THE SAME THING ON ME...
SERIOUSLY...
TSK...


HM?
THIS WILL HURT, OKAY?

HEY...
A HEAD-BUTT!?

WHA!!

SHIT...
...
I'M SORRY SANAE-CHAN...
THAT REALLY HURT, RIGHT?
THIS GIRL IS...
...
... IT'S GOING TO HURT A LOT MORE NOW!!
DON'T WORRY, I'LL MAKE SURE...

WHOAAA
!!!

HEY!
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WHAT THE HELL DO YOU THINK YOU'RE DOING!?

HITTING A GIRL'S FACE IS CROSSING THE LINE, RIGHT!?

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I SHOULD BE THE ONE TELLING YOU THAT!!
You stupid shit!

BUT THAT LOOK IN YOUR EYES ...
I THOUGHT YOU WERE GOING TO DO SOMETHING HORRIBLE,
SO I JUMPED IN WITHOUT REALLY THINKING.
SORRY FOR GETTING IN YOUR WAY WHEN YOU WERE ABOUT POUR IT ON.
OH YEAH...
...
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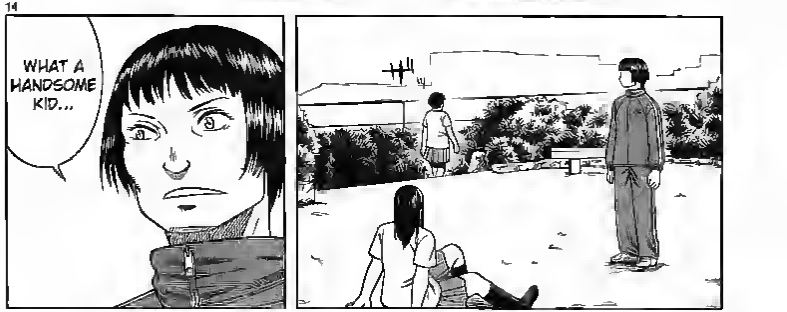
YOUR NOSE IS BLEEDING.
ARE YOU ALL RIGHT?
IT'S OKAY.
THIS IS NOTHING BIG.
YOU...

I HAVE NO IDEA WHAT HAPPENED TO YOU.
BUT YOU'VE CHANGED...
INTO A TOTAL ASS.
NATSUO ...
I WON'T LET YOU OFF THE HOOK.
...NEXT TIME.
NEXT TIME...


WHAT A HANDSOME KID...

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OHH...
...
YOU'RE REALLY TALL.
That other girl was pretty tall too.
WHAT'S YOUR HEIGHT?
* 70 Kg= 154 lbs
* 182 cm= 5'9"
I'M NOT THAT HEAVY!!
DAMN! WHAT ABOUT YOUR WEIGHT!? I BET YOU'RE LIKE 70KG, RIGHT?
IT'S 182CM
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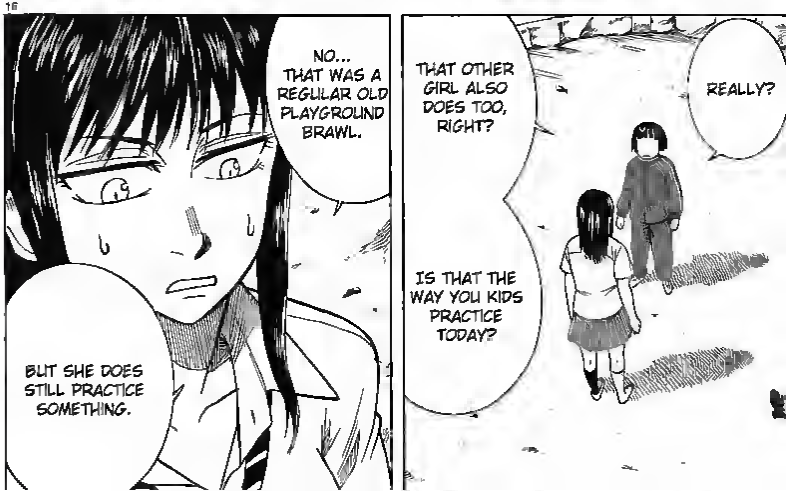
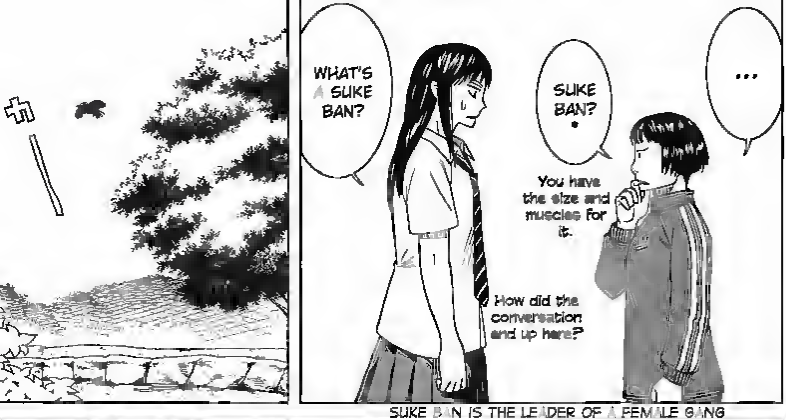
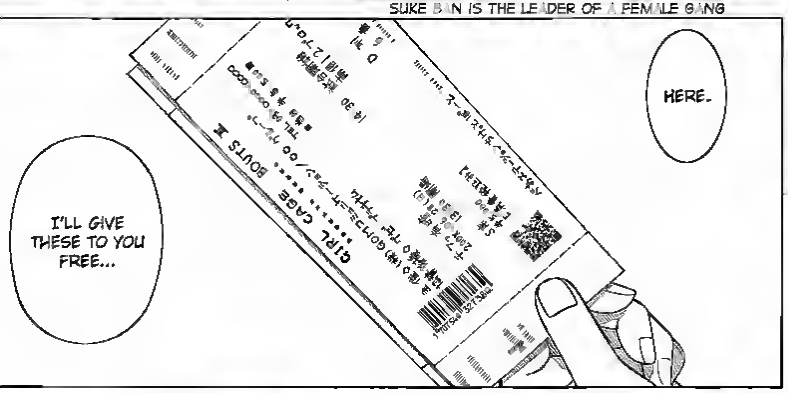
OOHHH...
HMMM...
I USED TO TAKE KARATE.
DO YOU DO SOME KIND OF MARTIAL ART?


NO... THAT WAS A REGULAR OLD PLAYGROUND BRAWL.
BUT SHE DOES STILL PRACTICE SOMETHING.
THAT OTHER GIRL ALSO DOES TOO, RIGHT?
REALLY?
IS THAT THE WAY YOU KIDS PRACTICE TODAY?



SUKE BAN IS THE LEADER OF A FEMALE GANG



THEY'RE TICKETS TO AN UPCOMING MMA MATCH.
I'LL BE PARTICIPATING IN THAT EVENT.
...?
ACTUALLY, I NEED TO SELL THOSE OR I'LL BE IN TROUBLE...

NO WAY!
YOU KNOW WHO I AM?
THE PRO FIGHTER KONTANI... KARIN-SAN, RIGHT?
YOU'RE...
THEN,
DOES THAT MEAN YOU'RE INTERESTED IN MMA?
THAT MAKES ME HAPPY.

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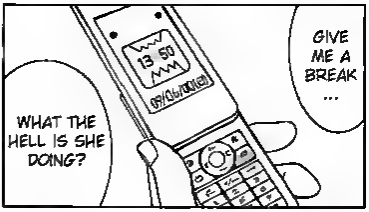
THEN IN THE NEXT MATCH, I'LL GIVE IT MY ALL.
THAT'S GOOD.
A little
YEAH.

THE STRONGEST WOMAN IN JAPAN FIGHTS.
I'LL SHOW YOU HOW...
I DIDN'T SAY THE WORLD'S STRONGEST.
AREN'T I MODEST?

MAKING UP WITH SANAE IS IMPOSSIBLE.
...
I WON'T CHARGE YOU FOR ANYTHING.
Later.
IF YOU CAN, MAKE UP WITH THAT SHORT HAIRED GIRL AND COME WATCH ME TOGETHER.

CAFFEE


GIVE ME A BREAK ...
WHAT THE HELL IS SHE DOING?

YOU'RE LATE!!
SORRY FOR THE WAIT, NA-CHAN!
YOU'RE A WHOLE FIVE MINUTES LATE!!

PISSED
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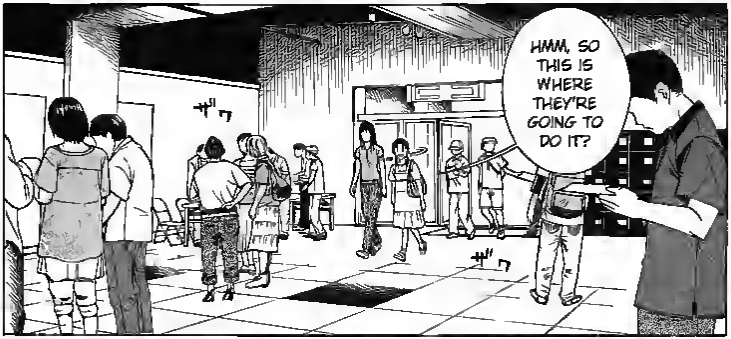
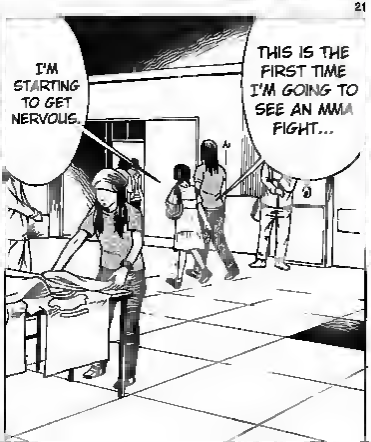
PISSED

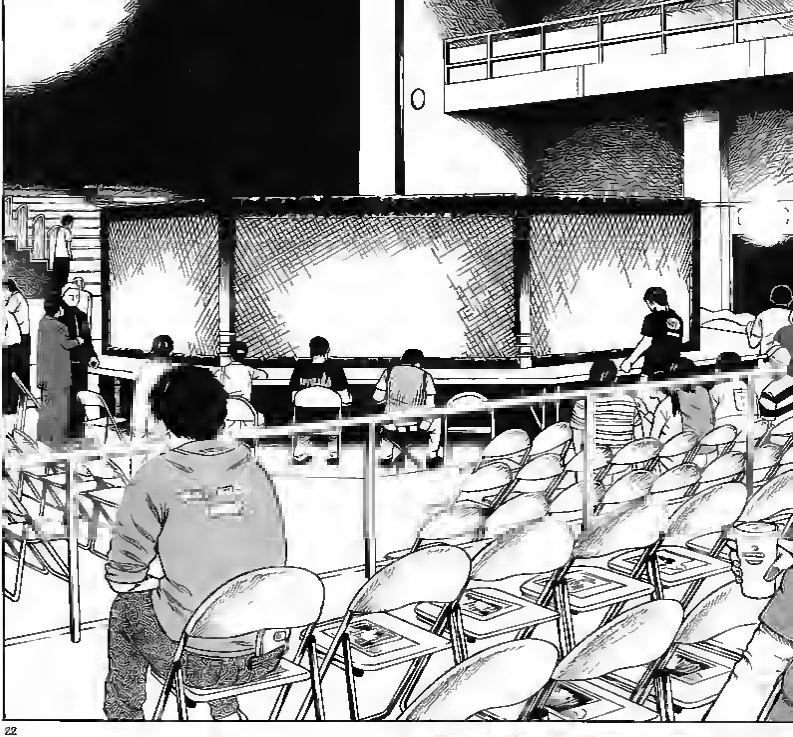
I CAN'T STAND PEOPLE,
Are you a perfectionist?
WHO AREN'T PUNCTUAL!!

I'M SORRY, I'M SORRY.
Cut me some slack
THERE WAS SOME PROBLEM WITH THE TRAINS.


HMM, SO THIS IS WHERE THEY'RE GOING TO DO IT?

NO, I'M NOT SCARED.
AREN'T YOU SCARED?


I'M STARTING TO GET NERVOUS.
THIS IS THE FIRST TIME I'M GOING TO SEE AN MMA FIGHT...



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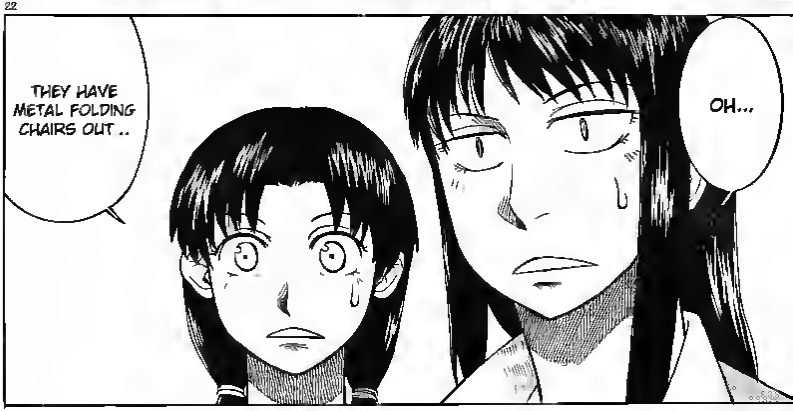
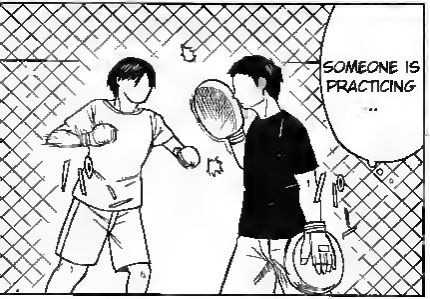
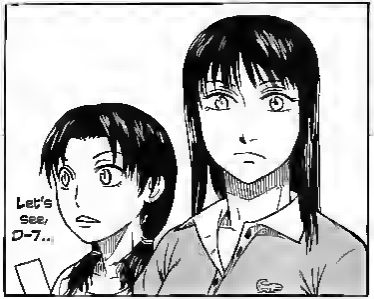
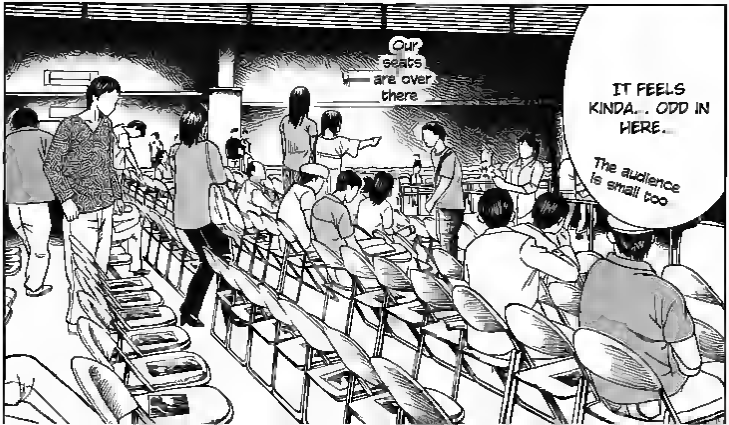
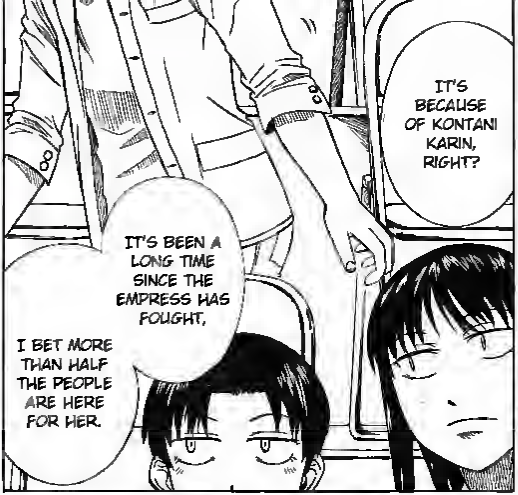


THEY'RE GOING TO FIGHT IN THAT CAGE..


SOMEONE IS PRACTICING ..


Let's see, D-7..


Our seats are over there
IT FEELS KINDA.. ODD IN HERE..
The audience is small too

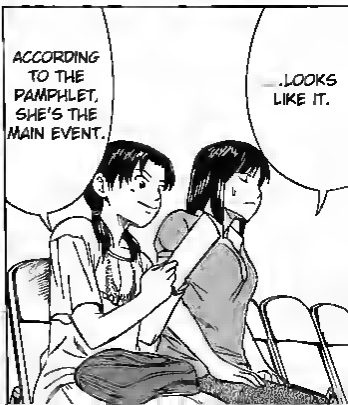

IT'S BECAUSE OF KONTA! KARIN, RIGHT?
IT'S BEEN A LONG TIME SINCE THE EMPRESS HAS FOUGHT,
I BET MORE THAN HALF THE PEOPLE ARE HERE FOR HER.

YEAH, YOU'RE RIGHT
THERE ARE A LOT MORE PEOPLE HERE THAN I THOUGHT THERE WOULD BE.
These are our seats?

KONTA!-SAN IS THE PERSON THAT GAVE YOU THE TICKETS, RIGHT?
SHE'S QUITE THE FIGHTER, HUH?

"EM-PRESS"?
This sounds like a "JGI" movie.
NA-CHAN ...

I THINK IT'S A LITTLE SCARY WATCHING A FIST FIGHT THOUGH...
I CAN'T WAIT FOR IT.


ACCORDING TO THE PAMPHLET, SHE'S THE MAIN EVENT.
...LOOKS LIKE IT.

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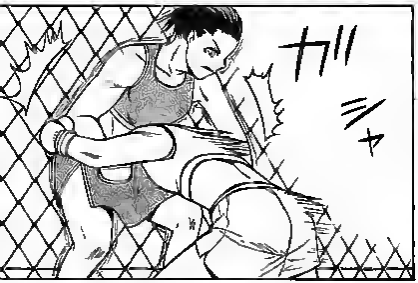
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UWAH... I BET THAT HURT!!
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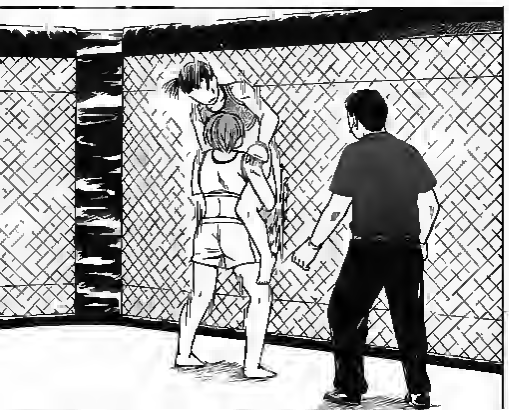

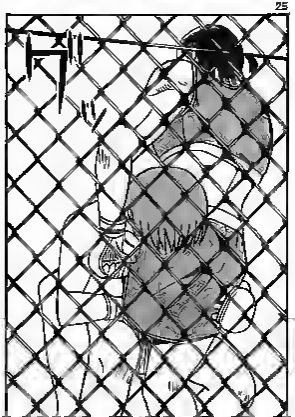
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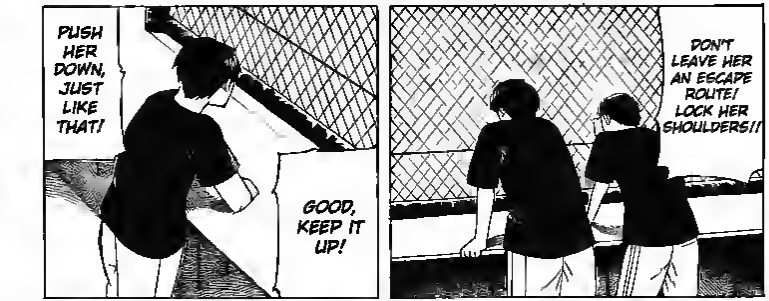
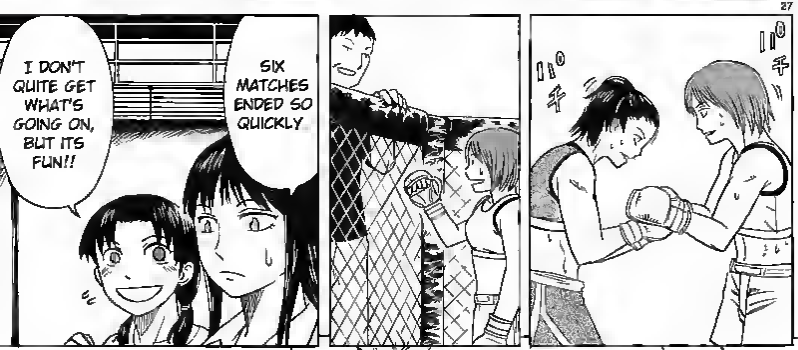
HEEEEYY!!!

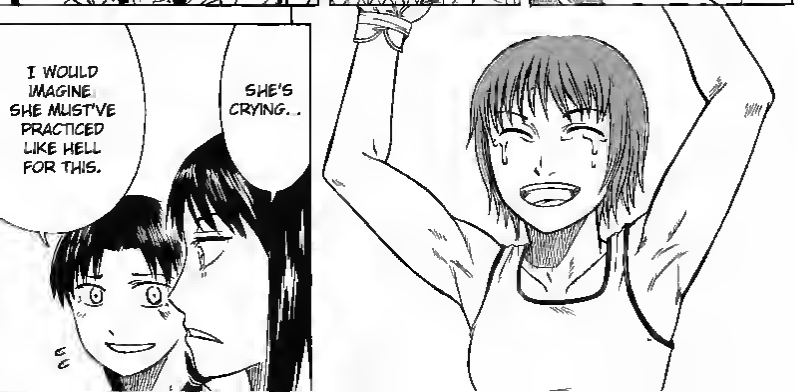

PUSH HER DOWN, JUST LIKE THAT!
GOOD, KEEP IT UP!
DON'T LEAVE HER AN ESCAPE ROUTE! LOCK HER SHOULDERS!!

AH!!

THE PERSON ON TOP... I THINK...
WHICH ONE IS WINNING?
read these small bubbles.
"She's taken the advantage away."
"And makes her way on top"

WINNER, YAMADA MASAMI!
IN THE 2ND ROUND WITH 2 MINUTES AND 40 SECONDS LEFT, SHE WON WITH A CHOKE HOLD!


I DON'T QUITE GET WHAT'S GOING ON, BUT ITS FUN!!
SIX MATCHES ENDED SO QUICKLY


I WOULD IMAGINE SHE MUST'VE PRACTICED LIKE HELL FOR THIS.
SHE'S CRYING..

HER HEIGHT IS ABOUT THE SAME AS MINE,

BUT SHE CAN STILL DO THAT!! SHE EVEN PICKED UP HER OPPONENT!!

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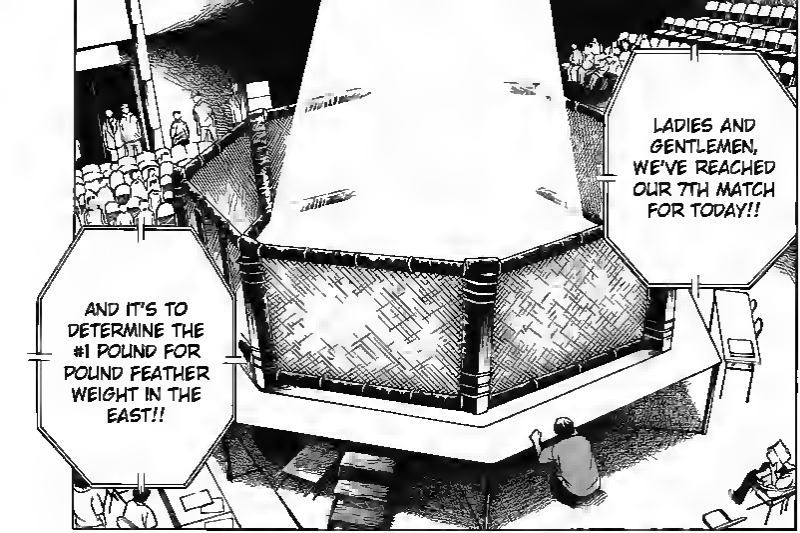
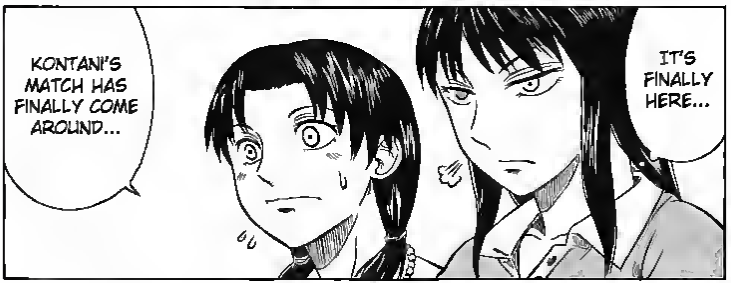
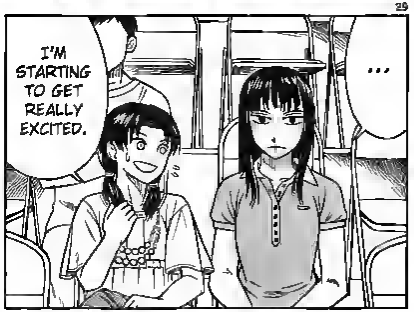
I'D BE TOO AFRAID TO FIGHT IN A PLACE LIKE THAT...

YOU'RE RIGHT...


LADIES AND GENTLEMEN, WE'VE REACHED OUR 7TH MATCH FOR TODAY!!
AND IT'S TO DETERMINE THE #1 POUND FOR POUND FEATHER WEIGHT IN THE EAST!!


KONTANI'S MATCH HAS FINALLY COME AROUND...
IT'S FINALLY HERE...

IN THE BLUE CORNER WE HAVE THE IFC CHALLENGER KRIS MCKENZIE!


I'M STARTING TO GET REALLY EXCITED.
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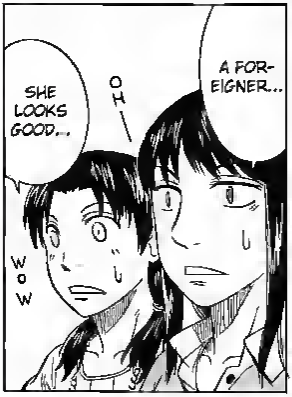
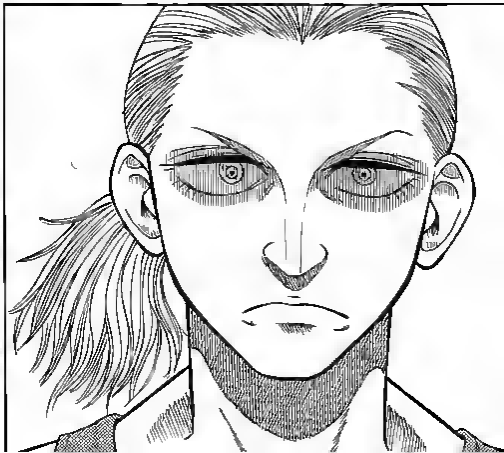
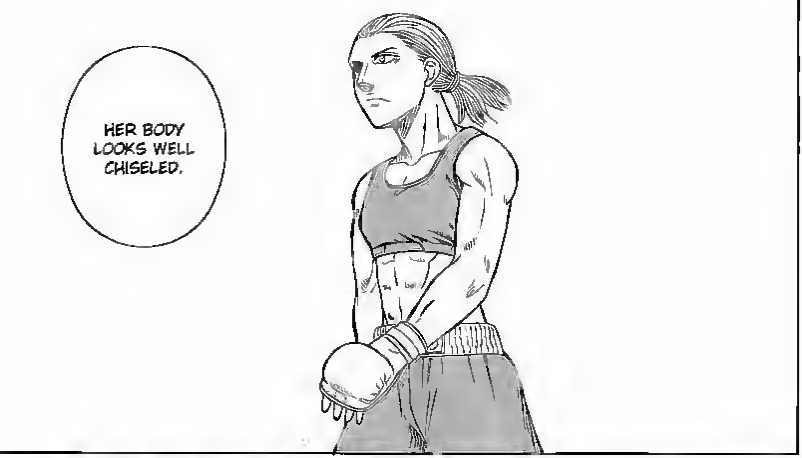
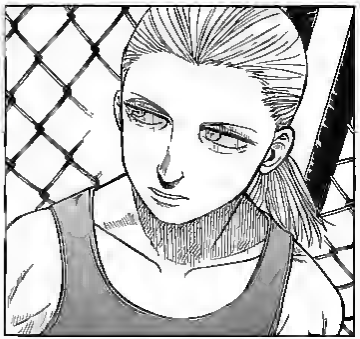
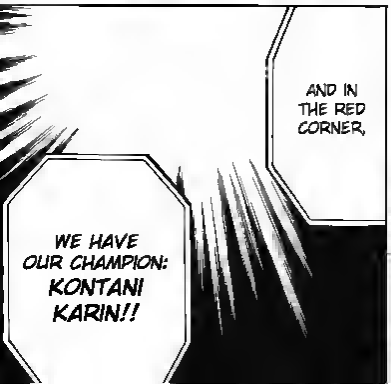





HER BODY LOOKS WELL CHISELED.



WHOA, THEN SHE'S REALLY GOOD.
IT SAYS HERE THAT SHE'S THE FORMER KICK BOXING CHAMPION.


AND IN THE RED CORNER,
WE HAVE OUR CHAMPION: KONTANI KARIN!!

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WILL KONTANI-SAN BE ALRIGHT?

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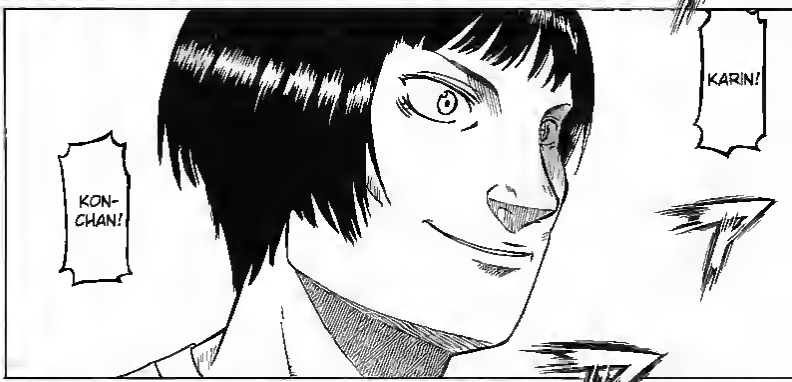
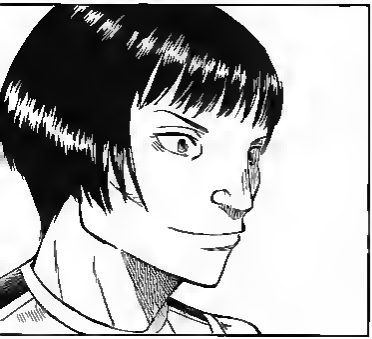
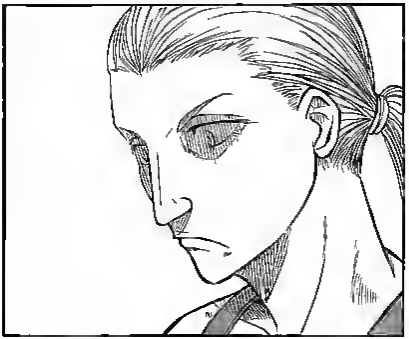
KONTAN!!
KARIN!!
OHH!! WHERE'D THEY COME FROM!?

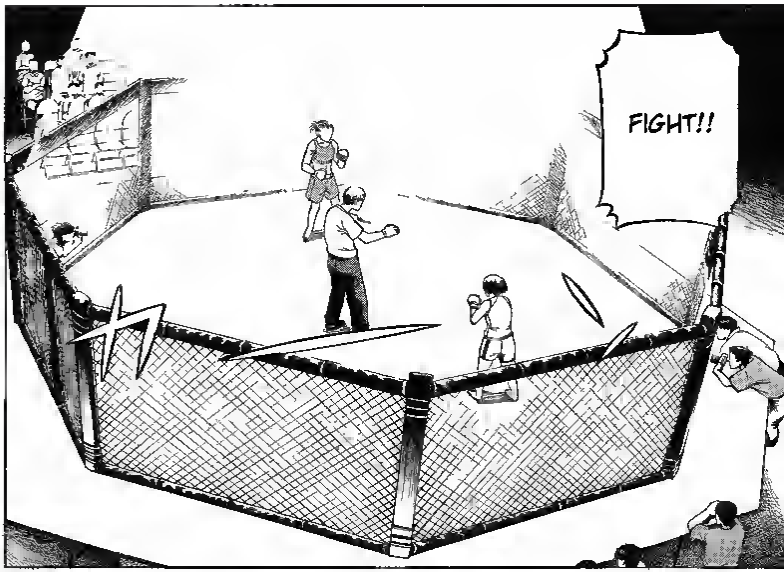

KARIN!
KON-CHAN!

AMAZING... FROM JUST WALKING TO THE RING,
THE HALL THAT ISN'T EVEN HALF FULL IS THIS LOUD!

will she show us today?
What kind of match,



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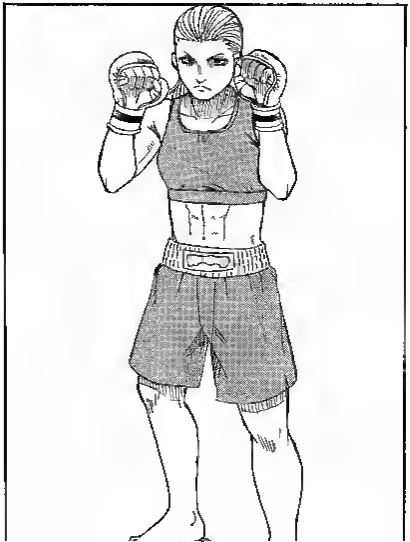

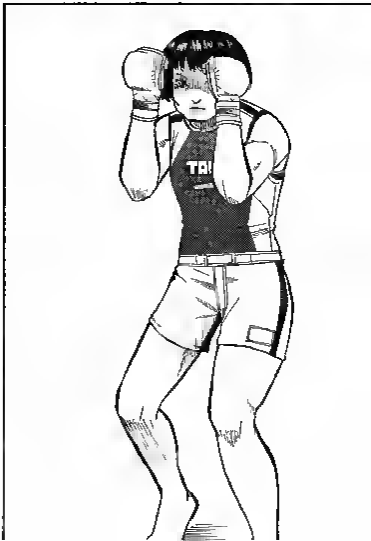

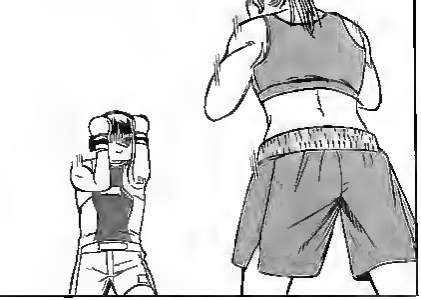

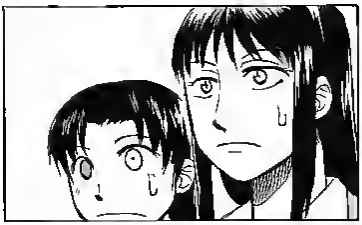

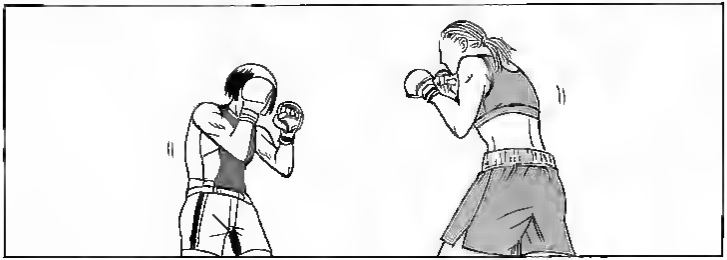

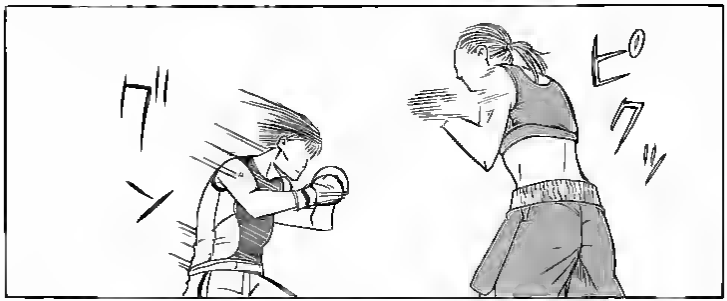
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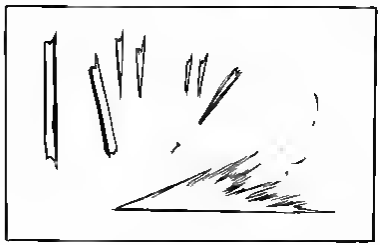

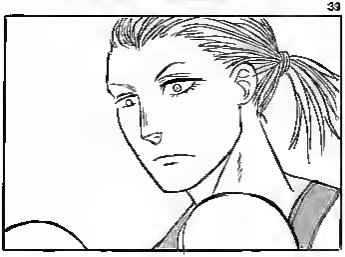

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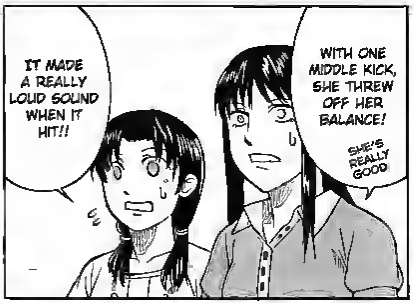
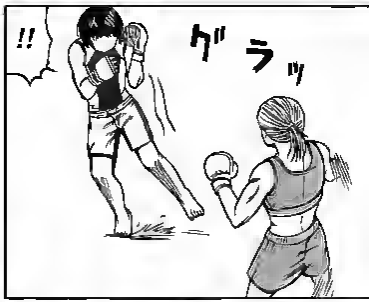

IT MADE A REALLY LOUD SOUND WHEN IT HIT!!
WITH ONE MIDDLE KICK, SHE THREW OFF HER BALANCE!
SHE'S REALLY GOOD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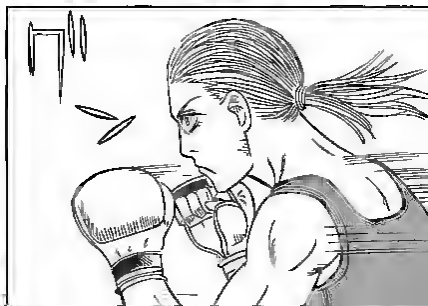
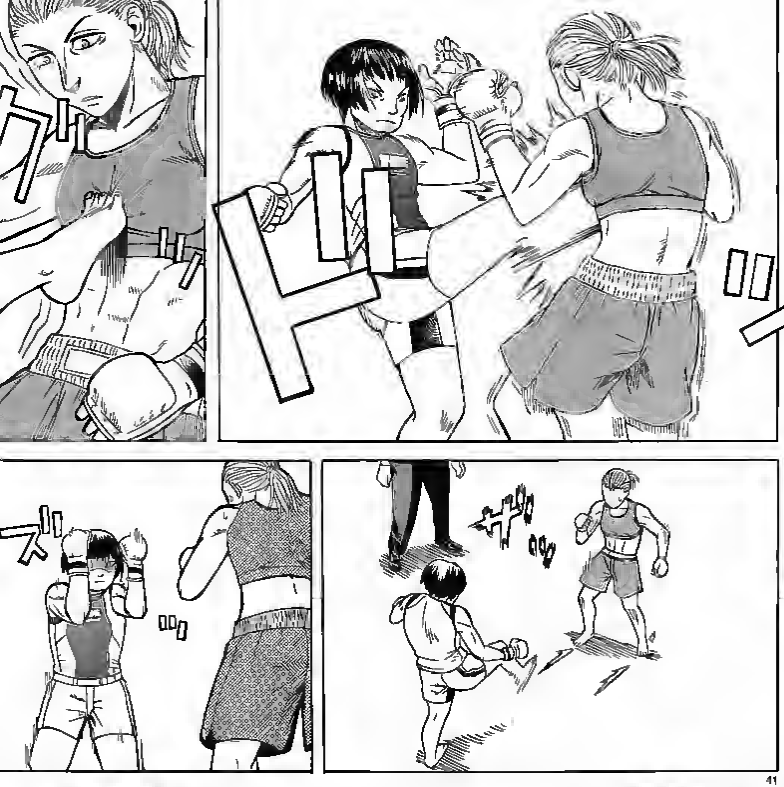
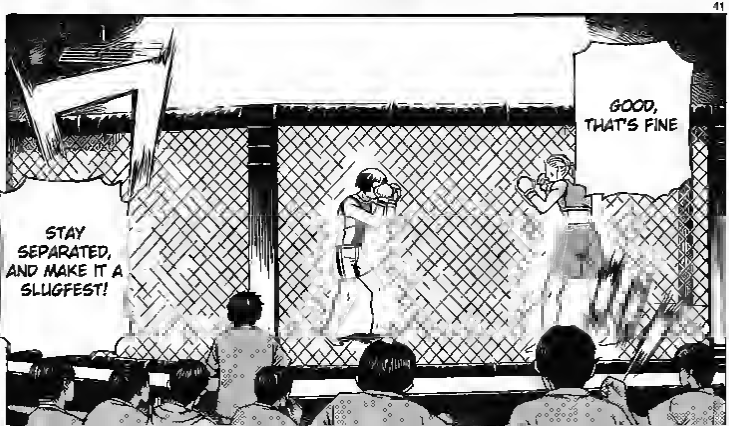
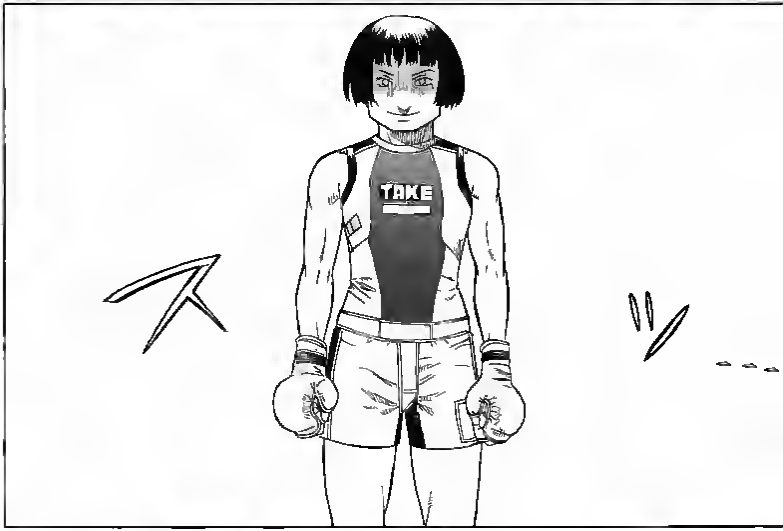





GOOD, THAT'S FINE
STAY SEPARATED, AND MAKE IT A SLUGFEST!

AND TO TELL YOU THE TRUTH, I DON'T KNOW.
BUT BRINGING IT TO WHO'S THE BETTER STRIKER IS A BAD IDEA.

N-CHAN, WHICH ONE IS WINNING?
WELL, IT JUST BEGAN...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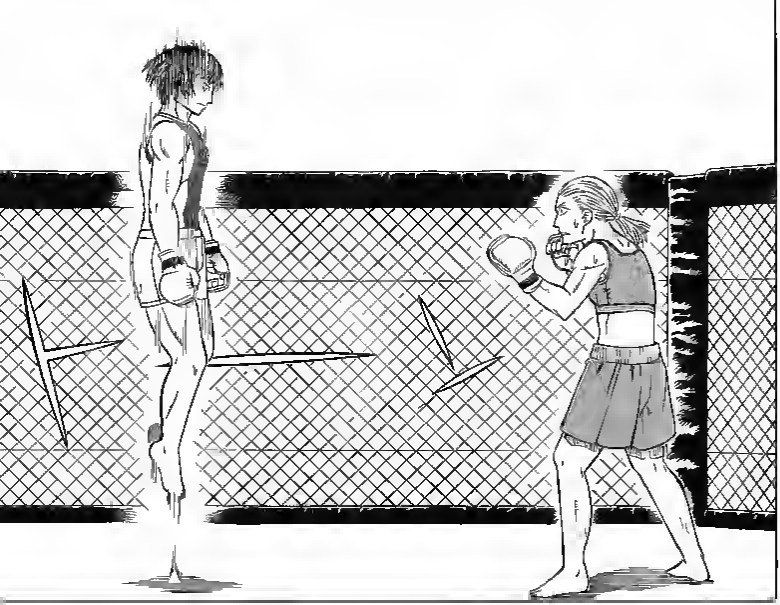
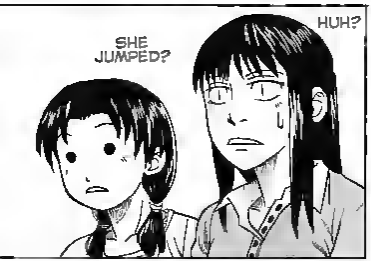
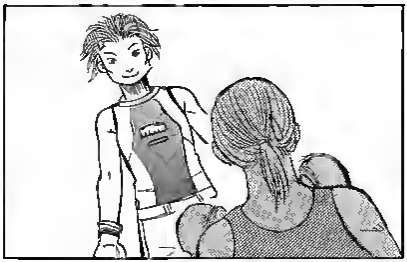



SHE JUMPED?
HUH?



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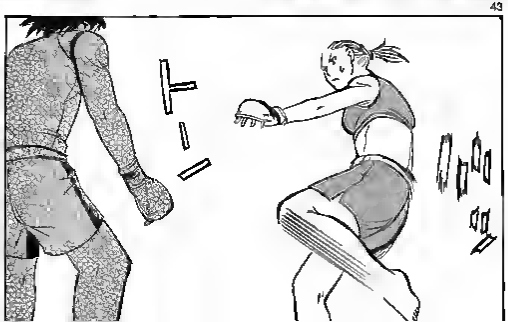
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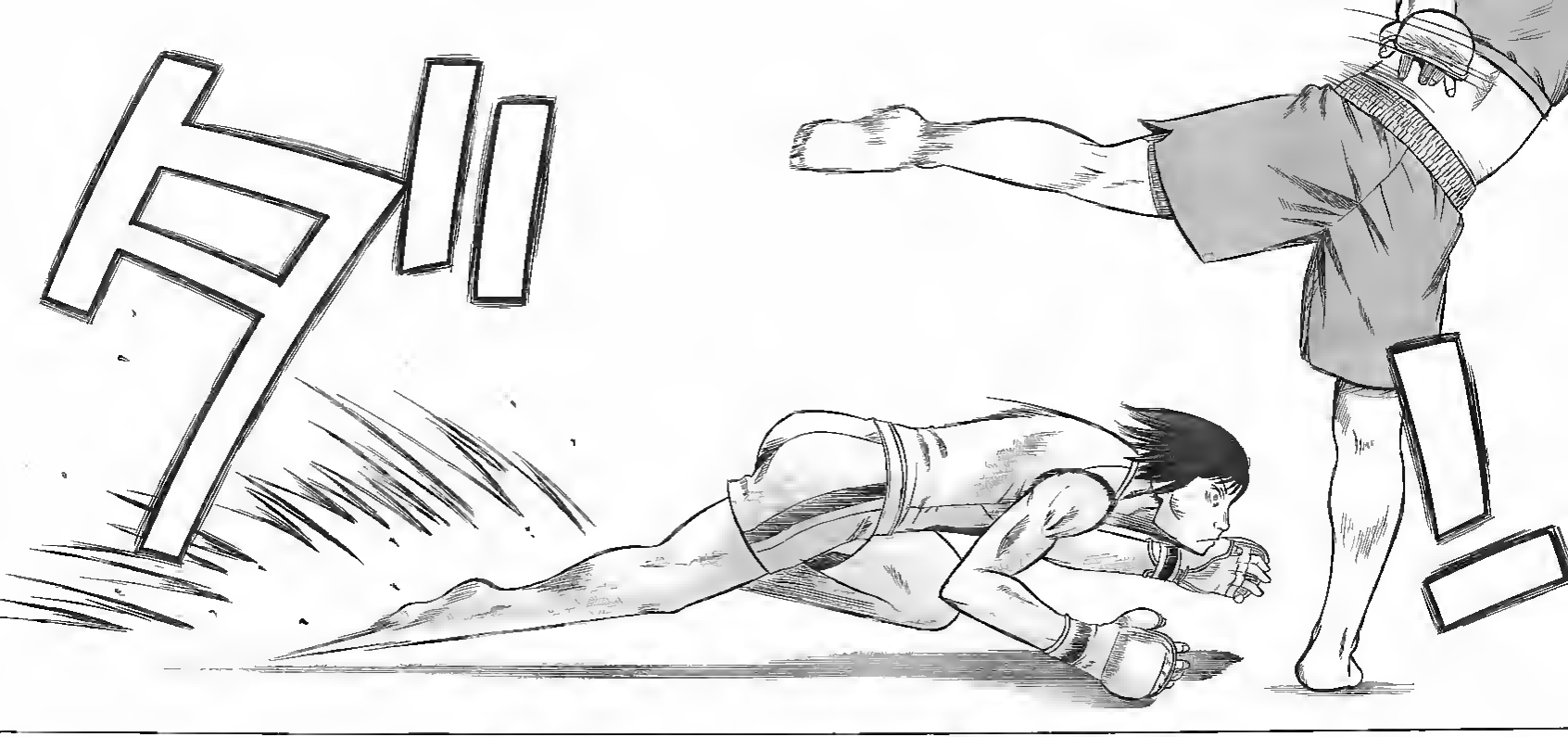
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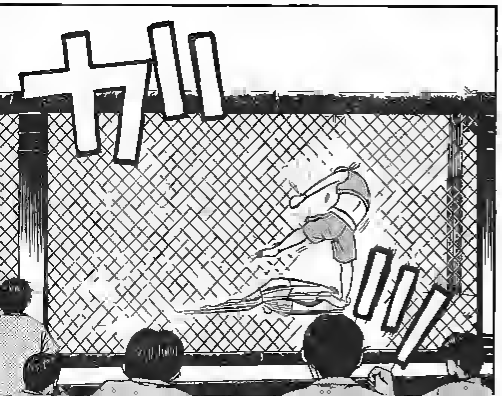
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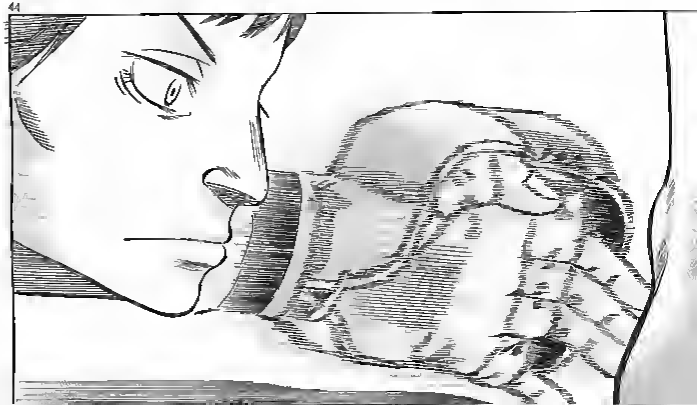
THAT'S REAL LOW.
SHE'S UNDER THE HEIGHT OF HER KICK.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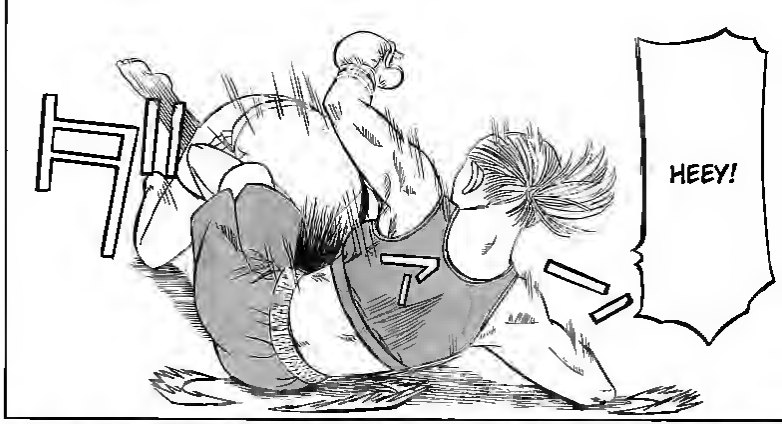
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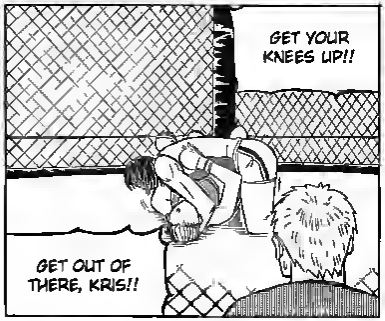
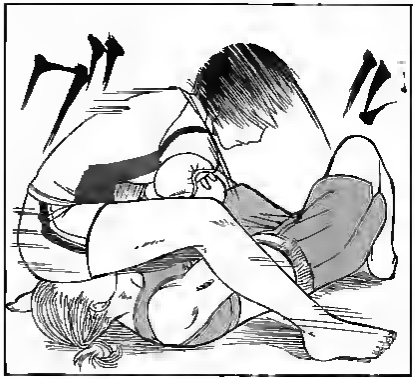
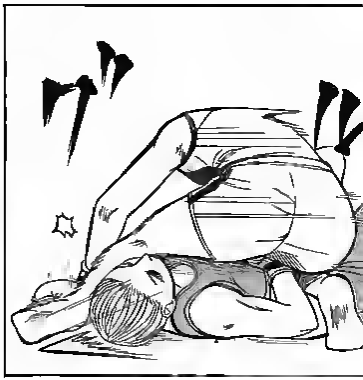

GET YOUR KNEES UP!!
GET OUT OF THERE, KRIS!!

GOOD.
NOW CALM DOWN, AND FINISH HER OFF.





SLAM
WINNER,
KONTANI KARIN!!
TAP TAP
1 MINUTE AND 12 SECONDS INTO ROUND 1,
SHE WINS WITH A SHOULDER CROSS LOCK!!

THAT WAS NICE NA-CHAN!! SHE WON ALMOST AS SOON AS THE MATCH STARTED!!
THAT... WAS QUICK...
I GET THE FEELING I'M WATCHING SOMEONE WHO WAS MEANT TO STAND ON THE HIGHEST PEDASTAL AFTER A MATCH.
TAKE
THE BEST...
EVERYTHING ABOUT HER IS BEAMING.
THE WAY SHE FOUGHT...

IT'S TRUE...
SHE WAS BEING MODEST.
I'LL SHOW YOU HOW THE STRONGEST WOMAN IN JAPAN FIGHTS.
...TO BE HERE TODAY, I'D LIKE TO THANK YOU FIRST OF ALL.
TO ALL THE PEOPLE WHO HAVE TAKEN TIME OUT OF THEIR BUSY SCHEDULES ...
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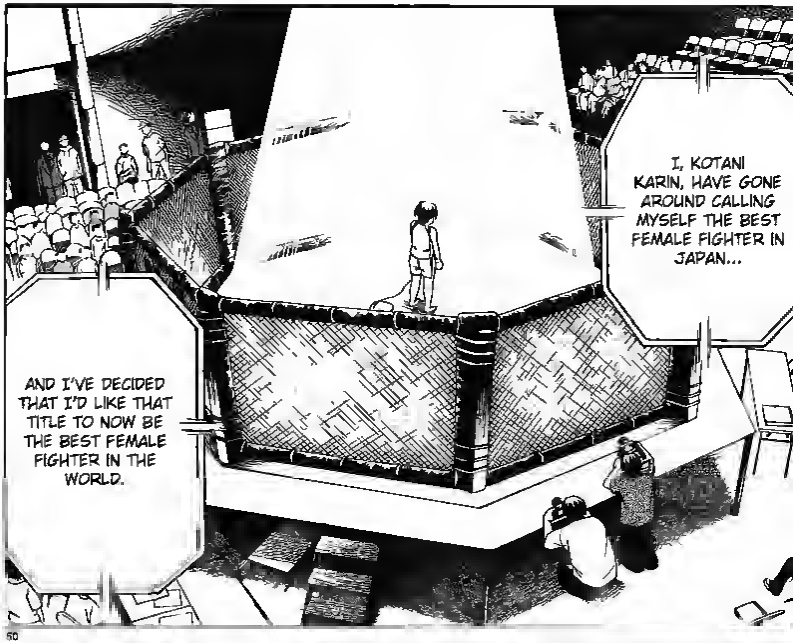
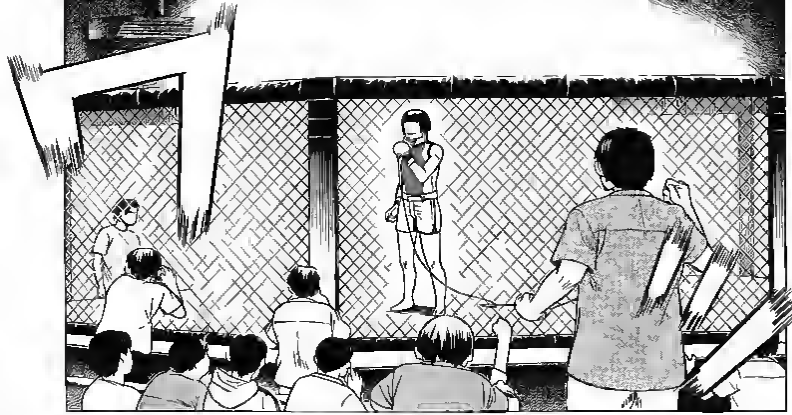
THE REAL REASON I HAVE THE MIC LIKE THIS,
IS BECAUSE THERE'S SOMETHING I HAVE TO ANNOUNCE TO YOU TODAY.


I, KOTANI KARIN, HAVE GONE AROUND CALLING MYSELF THE BEST FEMALE FIGHTER IN JAPAN...
AND I'VE DECIDED THAT I'D LIKE THAT TITLE TO NOW BE THE BEST FEMALE FIGHTER IN THE WORLD.

AT THE OPEN WEIGHT ALL GIRL'S TOURNAMENT AT THE END OF THE YEAR,
I'LL BE PARTICIPATING IN IT!



AND I'M SURE SHE WAS...

SHE MEANS G-GIRL... IT WAS ON TV BEFORE ...

RINGI
CORDEIRO!!

I'LL GET REVENGE FOR WHAT YOU DID TO MY TEACHER TAKENAKA!!

REVENGE?
TAKENAKA?

AH...
The strings of fate connect!
Teppu
to be continued
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Special Interview: Futada Moare-san

The reaction of the masses: "This type of heroin, we've never seen it before!" It's the debut of "Teppu"'s author, Futada Moare-san! By the way...is the real-life Futada-san like his characters!?

The name "Moare" isn't your true name, is it?

Futada-san: Well I'm personally really bad at sticking on screentone (TN: this is something used in applying textures/shading to drawings) When you put on the tone depending on what angle you use it can create a halo-like effect - that's called Moare In the past when I helped my friends out with their manuscripts we often had to attempt to use "Moare." That's where the name comes from.

You've had an amazing impact. So, your first serialization - how was working on it?

Futada-san: Because this is the first time I've worked with flashy movements I'm struggling hard with the category of "action." Things like making poses drawing speed lines etc take me a lot of time My supervisor and I get into arguments, and he has to force me to go outside and just have fun The best part about those times is when he forces me to eat delicious foods (looks longingly off into the distance)

Supervisor Arai: I also want to drink more with Futada-san and talk about manga.

Futada-san: Really?! See Arai-san is always planning/doing nice things for me

Hmm, looking out for each other, huh...that's what I call male bonding! Ok, well, moving on, in your work the protagonists are women fighters, but do you personally like strong women?

Futada-san: I like gallant/brave women, and I prefer women with strong personalities For example (female ex-Pro Wrestler) Kandori Shinobu-san

Ehhh....could it be that the protagonist Natsuo's model was Kandori Shinobu-san?!

Futada-san: That's clearly not the case

TN: There is a popular belief in Japan that a person's ABO blood type or ketsueki-gata (血液型) is predictive of their personality, temperament, and compatibility with others

http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Blood_types_in_Japanese_culture

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So, Natsuo, on the whole, has a good personality, but, um, are you in any way similar to her?

I, too, do not have a bad personality (laughs) Natsuo's character is actually sort of a condensation of my image of people who have blood type A.

Do you dislike A-types?

No, because actually I am an A-type. But there always seem to be so many B-types around me. And isn't there an image that B-types are always showing off/acting superior to A-types?

There is! There definitely is!

Because of this, Teppu is the tale of A-types getting revenge on B-types, that's the sort of image I was shooting for.

Could it be that you want to show off/be superior to B-types now?

Futada-san: No no, not at all. But, it is my revenge.

So if that's true, Yuzuko and Ringi must be B-types!

I haven't decided on the blood types of those two, but they probably aren't A-types, they do seem like B types though.

So in summary, you're saying that "Teppu" is the story of A-type Natsuo and you, the author, taking revenge on B-types like Yuzuko and Ringi.

Yeaaaaaah, that could be it (laughs) But actually my objective with "Teppu" is to bring back nostalgia for the olden days of shounen manga. My biggest worry is that I won't be able to continue to draw it. Therefore, all you readers, please read it and don't throw it away!

OK, so even if you're AB-type or O-type, everyone, please cheer on and support Futada-san!

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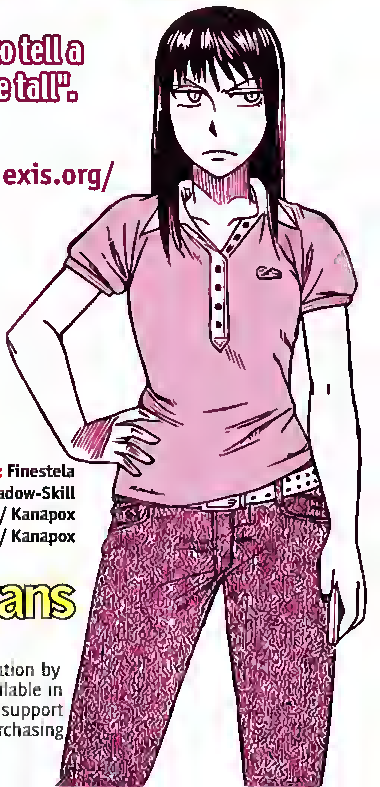
Chapter 6:
I always wanted to tell a tall person, "you're tall".



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THAT MATCH WAS VERY COOL!
REALLY?
鉄風
TEPPU
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ESPE-CIALLY KONTANI-SAN,
SHE LOOKED GREAT OUT THERE.
YOU THINK SO?
YOU REALLY ARE INTERESTED IN MMA AREN'T YOU NA-CHAN?
WHY WOULD YOU THINK THAT?
I HAVE ABSOLUTELY NO INTEREST IN IT.
REALLY?
YES REALLY.. I'M SERIOUS
MMH
URL http://www.mah.co.jp
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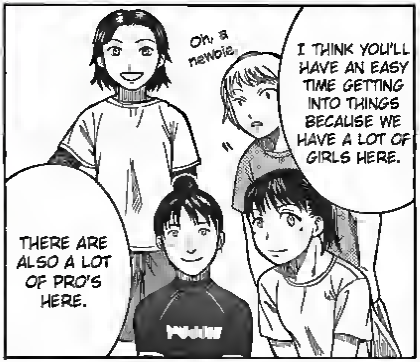
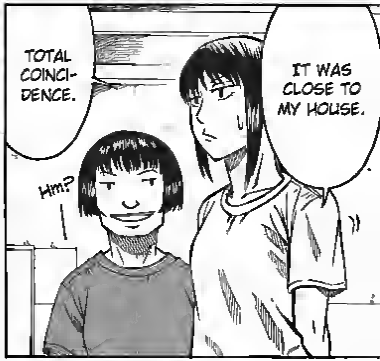
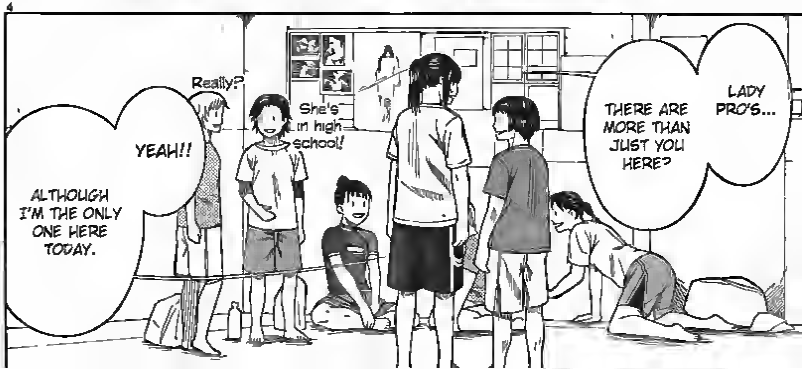
2 SIGN: TAKENAKA GYM

Chapter 6: I always wanted to tell a tall person, "you're tall".
If it's to fulfill my goals, I don't mind the hard work.
太田モアレ
鉄風
TEPPU
by Futada Moare

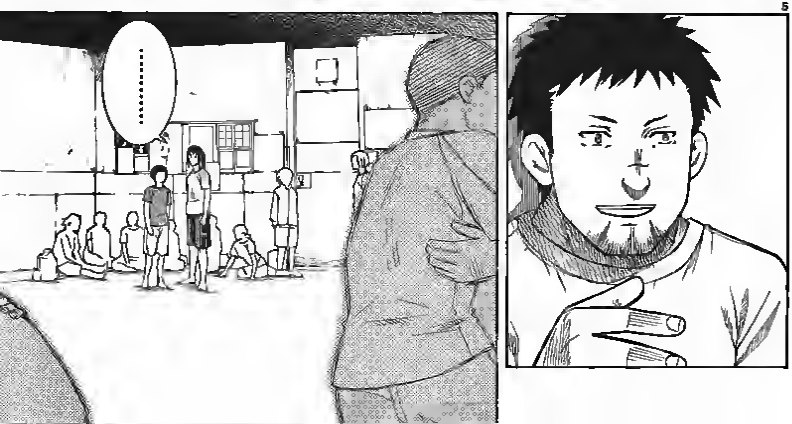
THANKS FOR COMING.
I NEVER THOUGHT YOU'D JOIN THE GYM THOUGH.


I THINK YOU'LL HAVE AN EASY TIME GETTING INTO THINGS BECAUSE WE HAVE A LOT OF GIRLS HERE.
Oh, a newbie.
THERE ARE ALSO A LOT OF PRO'S HERE.


IT WAS CLOSE TO MY HOUSE.
TOTAL COINCI-DENCE.
Hm?


LADY PRO'S...
THERE ARE MORE THAN JUST YOU HERE?
Really?
She's in high school!
YEAH!!
ALTHOUGH I'M THE ONLY ONE HERE TODAY.

Hey guys.
Oh, you're early today
Wass up
THE AGE OF THE MEMBERS AND THEIR WALKS OF LIFE VARIES ...
BUSINESS WOMEN, OFFICE WORKERS, THOSE WHO LIVE OFF PART TIME JOBS, EVEN HOUSE WIVES, THERE ARE A LOT...
HE'S REALLY GOOD AT TEACHING.
TAKENAKA-SAN MIGHT ALSO COME AND GIVE SOME ADVICE.
TRUTH-FULLY, I DIDN'T EXPECT THAT.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NO MATTER WHERE I GO I'M ALWAYS THE CENTER OF ATTEN-TION

NO WAY!
182 CM.
YOU'RE REALLY TALL, WHAT'S YOUR HEIGHT?
NICE.
THAT'S SO COOL.
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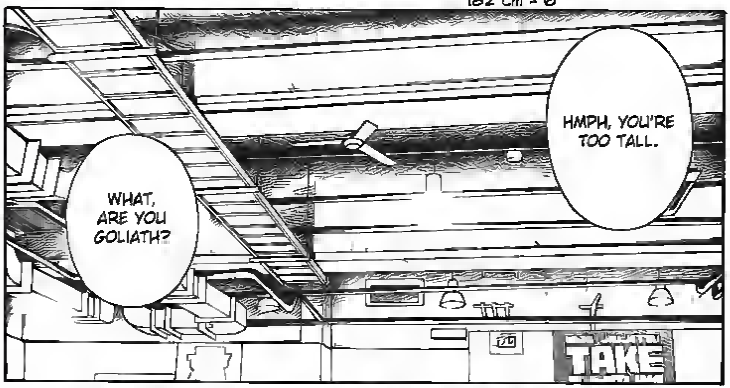
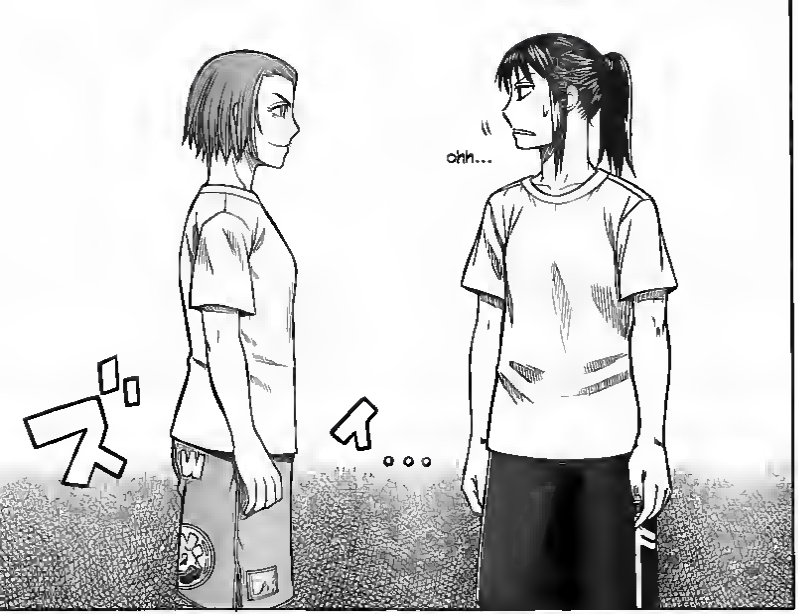
182 cm = 6'


WHAT, ARE YOU GOLIATH?
HMPH, YOU'RE TOO TALL.
TAKE

Huh?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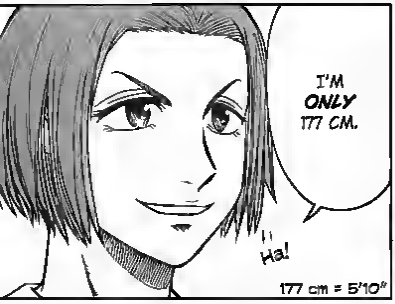
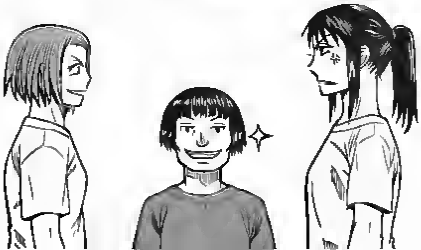
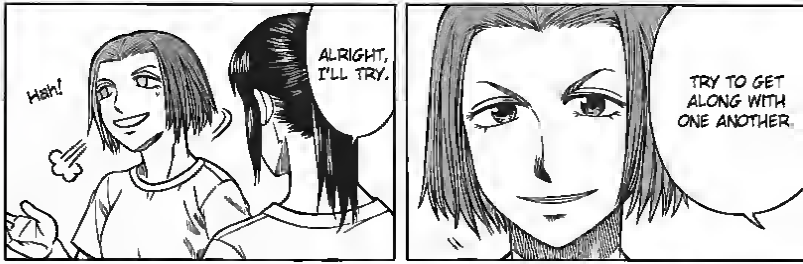
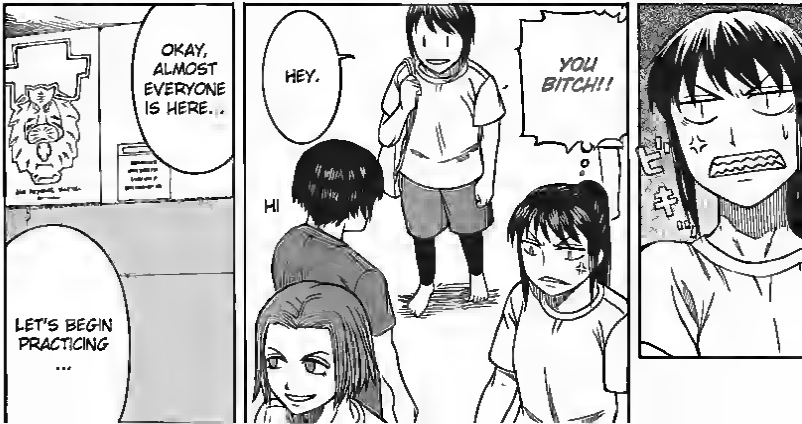

I'M
ONLY
177 CM.
Ha!
177 cm = 5'10"

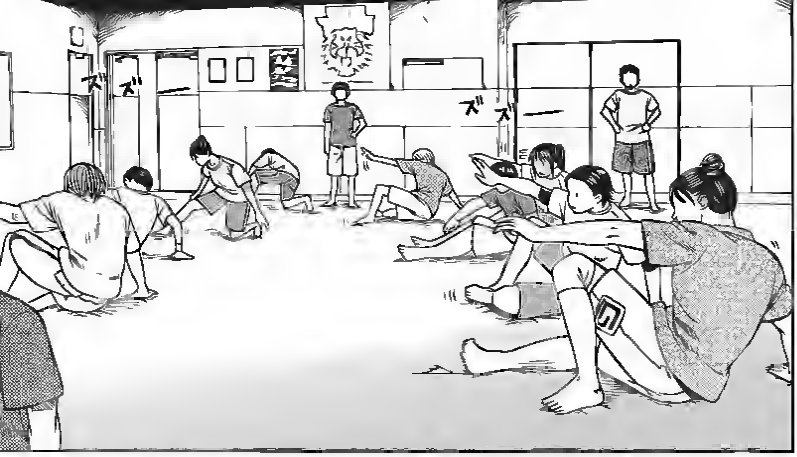
YOU'RE
PRETTY TALL
YOURSELF.


Hmmm

SHE IS KIRIDO HARUKA-CHAN.
SHE RECENTLY STARTED MMA AFTER COMING FROM JUDO.
SHE'S A FRESHMAN IN HIGH SCHOOL JUST LIKE YOU.


ALRIGHT, I'LL TRY.
Hsh!
TRY TO GET ALONG WITH ONE ANOTHER.


OKAY, ALMOST EVERYONE IS HERE...
LET'S BEGIN PRACTICING ...
HEY.
HI
YOU BITCH!!



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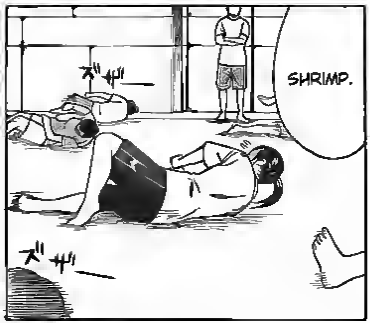
SHRIMP.

Gorilla?
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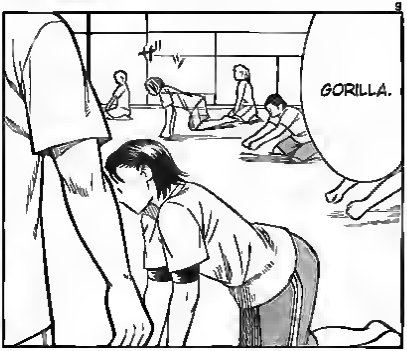
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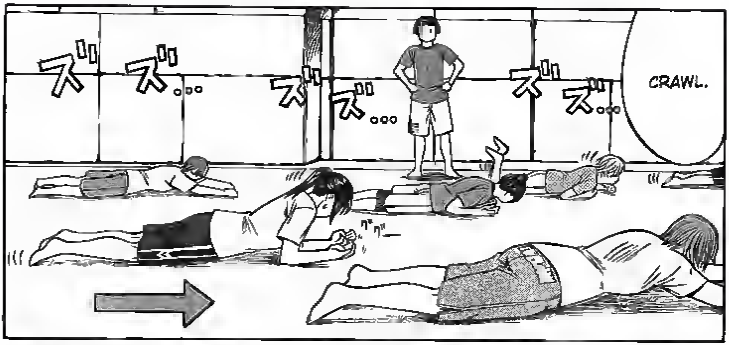
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CRAWL.

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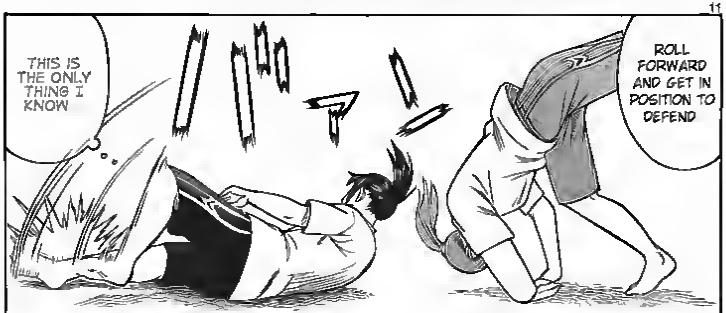
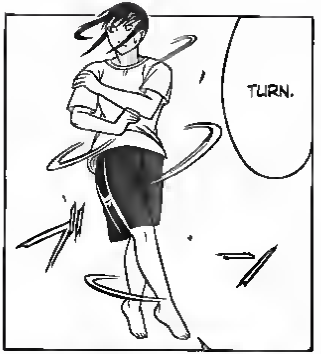
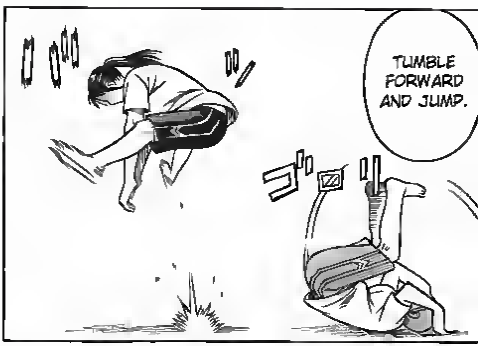
JUMPING ANKLE CROSS.

SLAP
TACKLE FROM THAT POSITION.
WHOA!!
OHH...


THIS IS THE ONLY THING I KNOW
ROLL FORWARD AND GET IN POSITION TO DEFEND


TURN.


TUMBLE FORWARD AND JUMP.
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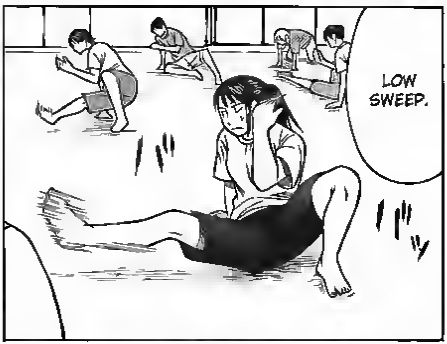
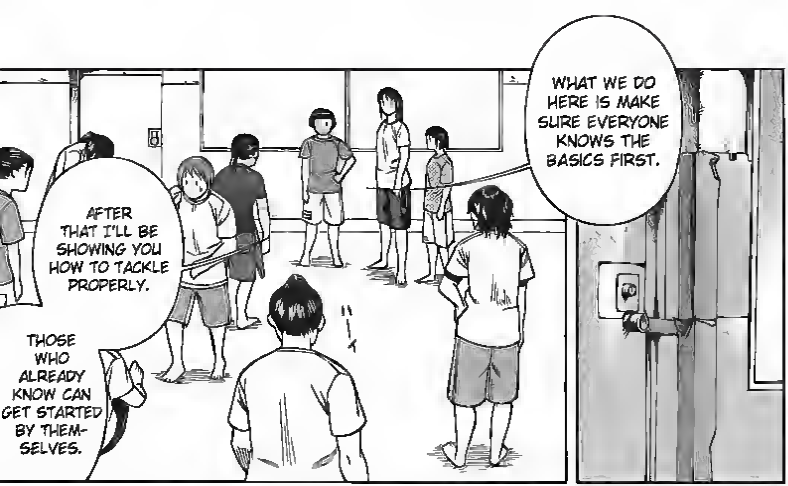
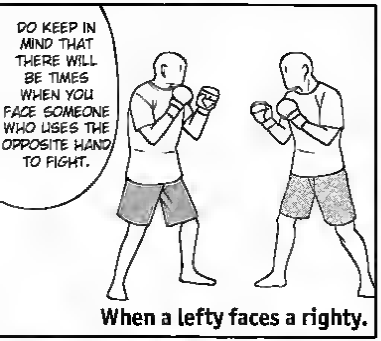
WHAT'S WITH THIS...


LOW SWEEP.

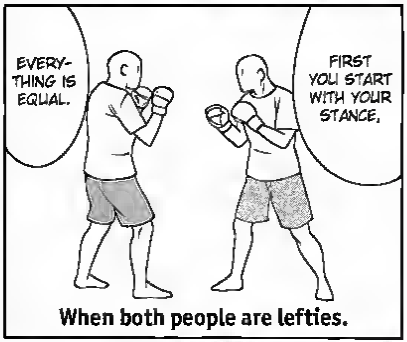
AND FINALLY, ONE MORE FORWARD ROLL INTO A DEFENSE POSITION
IT'S ABOUT TIME.

Do a low sweep from a hip turn.
ISN'T THE WARM UP A LITTLE LONG?


WHAT WE DO HERE IS MAKE SURE EVERYONE KNOWS THE BASICS FIRST.
AFTER THAT I'LL BE SHOWING YOU HOW TO TACKLE PROPERLY.
THOSE WHO ALREADY KNOW CAN GET STARTED BY THEM-SELVES.

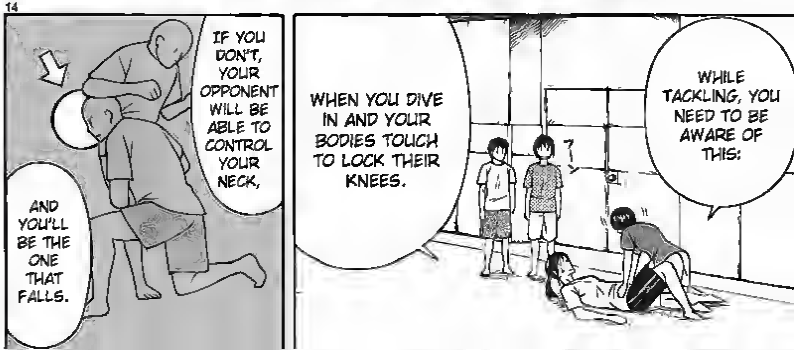


When a lefty faces a righty.



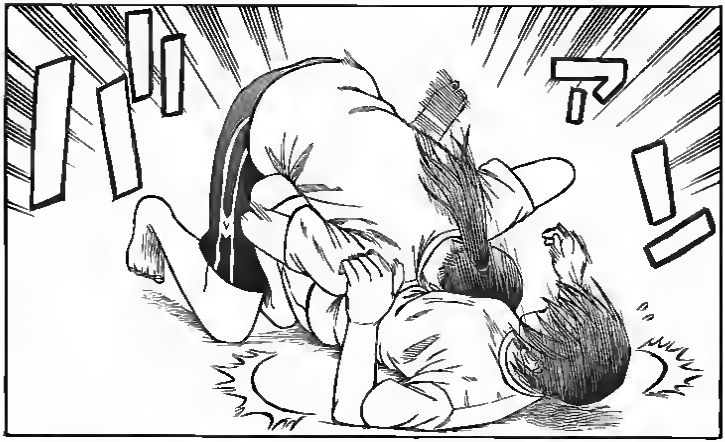
When both people are lefties.

NAHFU!


WHILE TACKLING, YOU NEED TO BE AWARE OF THIS:
WHEN YOU DIVE IN AND YOUR BODIES TOUCH TO LOCK THEIR KNEES.
IF YOU DON'T, YOUR OPPONENT WILL BE ABLE TO CONTROL YOUR NECK,
AND YOU'LL BE THE ONE THAT FALLS.

I'M GOING TO BE THE TEST DUMMY AGAIN?
NEXT WE'RE GOING TO AN OPPOSITE STANCE DOUBLE LEG TACKLE.
BESIDES, YOU GET TO LEARN THIS HANDS ON RIGHT?
NNNGGH
IT'S MUCH MORE APPARENT WHEN A TALL PERSON DOES IT.
I get some good sounds from you too.

NGOFU!
OPPOSITE STANCE SINGLE LEG TACKLE!
DO IT LIKE IF YOU WERE HEADBUTTING YOUR OPPONENTS STOMACH.
GUH.!
NEXT, SINGLE LEG TACKLE!
GUEH!!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I'M GLAD TO SEE THAT YOU LEARN QUICKLY.

OH, NICELY DONE.

TRY TO TACKLE ME.
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NATSUO-CHAN…
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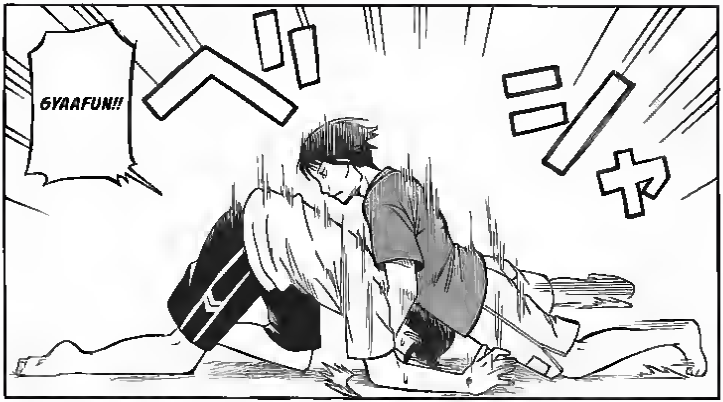
NEXT I'LL SHOW YOU HOW TO BREAK A TACKLE.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ONCE YOU'VE DONE THAT, MOUNT THEM FROM BEHIND AND...
I'M SORRY.

AND THROW YOUR BODY WEIGHT ON YOUR OPPONENT TO STOP THEIR MOVEMENT.
YOU JUMP BACK LIKE THIS SO YOUR LEGS DON'T GET CAUGHT,

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I'LL DO IT AS MANY TIMES AS YOU NEED.
ONCE MORE, NATSUO-CHAN!!

THAT WAS TOO FAST, I COULDN'T SEE WHAT HAPPENED.
CAN YOU DO IT AGAIN?

BIP
BIP
BIP
BIP
BIP
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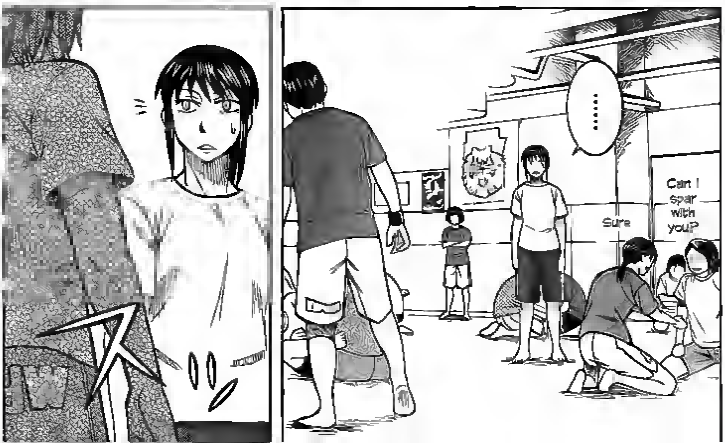
WE'LL START FROM THE KNEELING POSITION.
OKAY, LET'S BEGIN SPARRING NOW.
CHANGE WHO YOU WERE WORKING WITH.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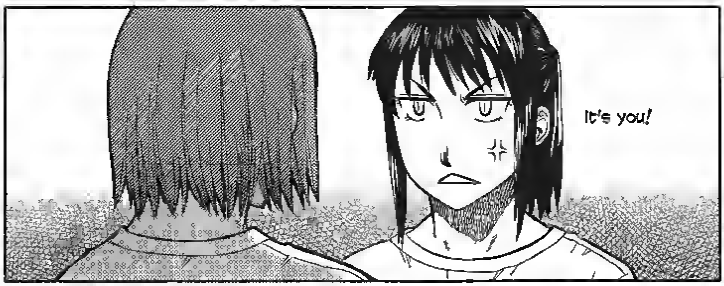
Can I spar with you?
Sure

I'LL BE YOUR SPARRING PARTNER.


It's you!

SHE'S BEEN DOING JUDO FOR OVER A YEAR .
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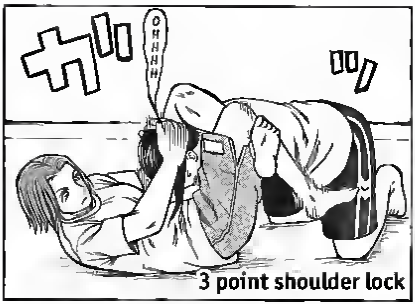
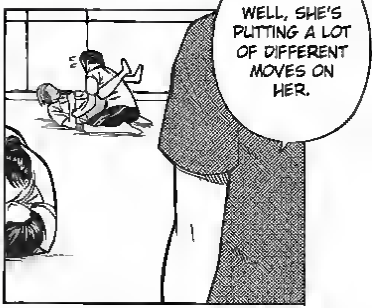
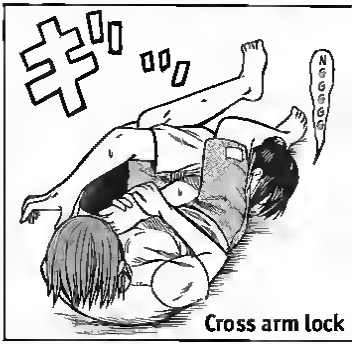
ALTHOUGH SHE'S NEW TO MMA,

THAT GIRL IS SPARRING WITH KIRI-CHAN...
HM?


OHHHH
3 point shoulder lock


WELL, SHE'S PUTTING A LOT OF DIFFERENT MOVES ON HER.

I GUESS THERE'S A LOT FOR HER TO LEARN.
BAKK
Shoulder lock


NGGGGG
Cross arm lock

TAKE
20 minutes later...

20
THOSE 2 HOURS WERE LONG..
It's about time
AFTER SOME WEIGHT TRAINING AND STRETCHING, WE'RE DONE.

YOU REALLY SUCK, YOU KNOW.
YOU'RE REALLY PISSING ME OFF!

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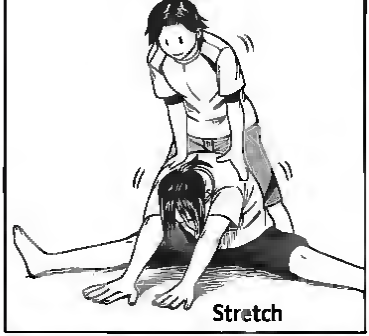
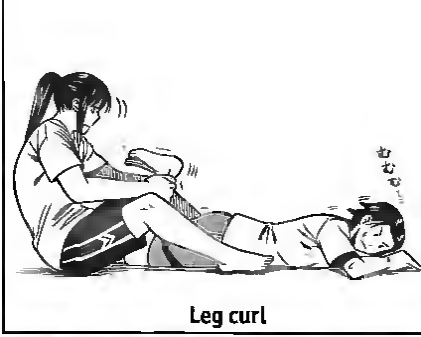
YOU MEAN MALICE RIGHT? NOT LOVE!
GOOD, THE PEOPLE ON TOP NEED TO PUT SOME MORE LOVE (BODY WEIGHT) INTO IT.
Body weight bench press


Stretch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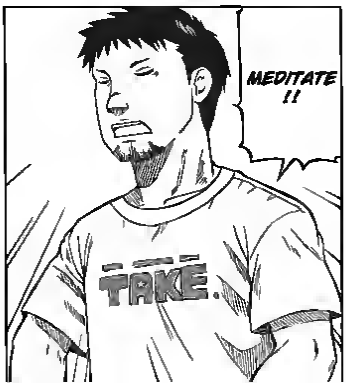
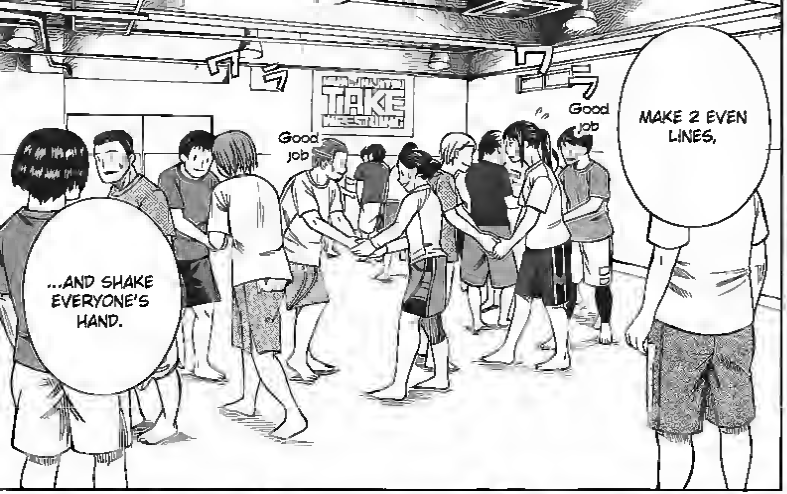
Leg curl

WRESTLING

BOW!!
THANKS FOR TODAY!!


MEDITATE !!
TAKE.


MAKE 2 EVEN LINES,
Good job
Good job
...AND SHAKE EVERYONE'S HAND.

UNLIKE KARATE ...
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YOU SPEND A LOT OF TIME TOUCHING SOMEONE ELSE...

You too.
Good job

You too.
Good job

I'M TIRED...
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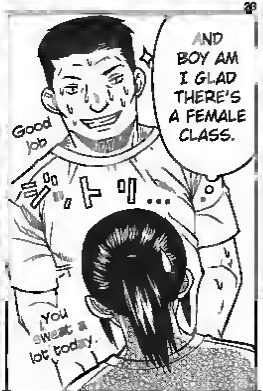
Where'd I put my towel?


AND BOY AM I GLAD THERE'S A FEMALE CLASS.
Good job
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You sweat a lot today.

NA-CHAN, YOU MAKE YOUR OWN LUNCH, RIGHT?
YEAH.
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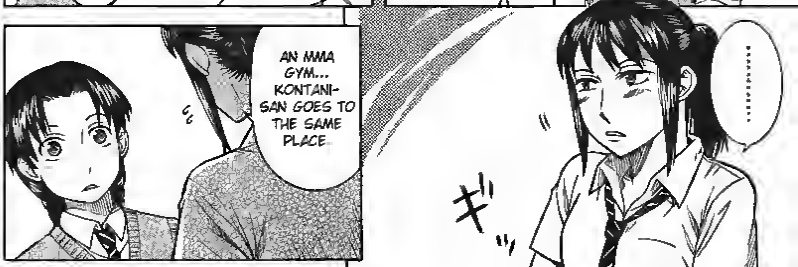
I made asparagus rolls today, here, you can have one.
Thanks!
IF YOU MAKE PREPARATIONS THE NIGHT BEFORE, YOU WON'T SPEND A LOT OF TIME ON IT.
THAT'S PRETTY COOL. I'M BAD AT GETTING UP, SO I COULD NEVER DO THAT.


AN MMA GYM... KONTANI-SAN GOES TO THE SAME PLACE.
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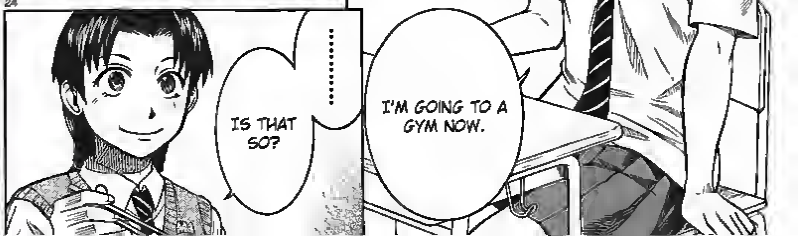
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IS THAT SO?
I'M GOING TO A GYM NOW.

THERE'S THIS ONE GIRL THERE THAT'S BEEN GETTING UNDER MY SKIN.
IT SEEMS LIKE SHE CAN FIGHT A LITTLE,
SO I'LL START BY TAKING HER DOWN.
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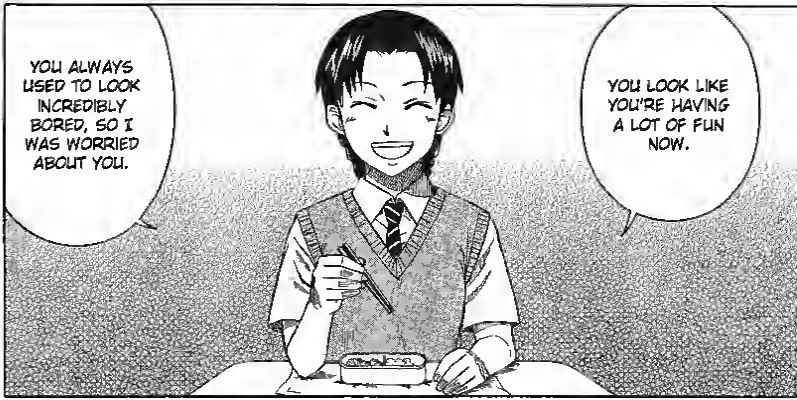
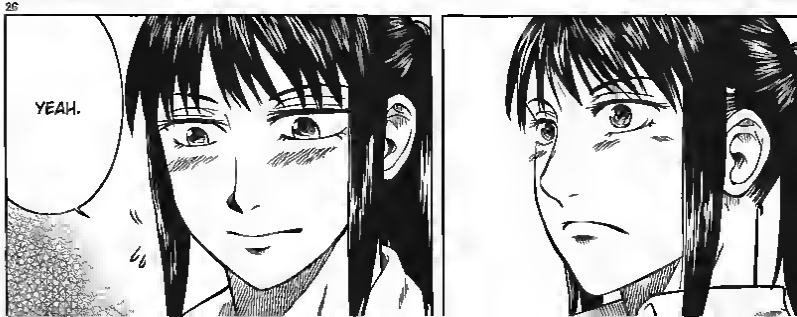
I'M GOING TO KEEP MAKING LITTLE GOALS FOR MYSELF LIKE THAT,
AND GET BETTER STEP BY STEP.
UFU FUFU.
NA-CHAN, YOU HAVE A TERRIBLE PERSONALITY!!
HUH? REALLY?
YEAH!!

YEAH.
YOU REALLY THINK SO?
BUT SINCE YOU'RE SO STRAIGHTFORWARD WITH HOW YOU ACT, I THINK IT'S FINE.
YOU DON'T CHEAT OR ANYTHING.
YOU MADE THE RIGHT CHOICE TO QUIT THE VOLLEYBALL TEAM.
THAT WAS PRETTY SHOCKING TO HEAR.


YOU ALWAYS USED TO LOOK INCREDIBLY BORED, SO I WAS WORRIED ABOUT YOU.
YOU LOOK LIKE YOU'RE HAVING A LOT OF FUN NOW.


YEAH.

I DON'T LIKE DOING THINGS THAT HURT...
I don't need to.
You'll lose weight.
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KEI, YOU SHOULD JOIN TOO.

Oh yeah, Segal's new movie...

he's him doing some crazy stunts...

SHE'S GOING TO MY SCHOOL RIGHT NOW.
RINJI CORDEIRO,
IS THAT SO?
THE ONE WHERE TAKENAKA-SAN LOST.
DID YOU SEE THE TV SHOW?

HE'S REALLY AN IDIOT, ISN'T HE?
HE'S THE TYPE TO LET SOMETHING LIKE THAT HAPPEN TO HIM.
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YES I DID.
THINK ABOUT IT,
THERE'S NO WAY HE NORMALLY LOSE.
HE LET HER WIN ON PURPOSE.
?
CAN YOU TELL ME IN WHAT WORLD...
DO EVER SEE A WELTER WEIGHT MAN GET KO'D BY A GIRL WHO'S NOT EVEN 60 KG?
* 60KG = 132LB

AND BECAUSE OF THAT, HE'S GOTTEN SOME SERIOUS BASHING FROM PEOPLE.
THERE ARE EVEN SOME WHO'VE QUIT.
BUT NOW THERE ARE A LOT OF PEOPLE TALKING ABOUT IT
THE DAUGHTER OF THE WORLD CLASS MMA FIGHTER,
BEAT A MAN WHO WAS WELL KNOWN FOR HIS SKILL.
PEOPLE WHO ARE NOT INTERESTED IN MMA WILL TUNE IN JUST TO SEE HER.

AND ON TOP OF THAT, THE PERSON HAILED AS THE STRONGEST FEMALE FIGHTER IN THE WORLD, KONTANI-SAN,
HAS PICKED A FIGHT WITH THAT GIRL TO GET REVENGE FOR HER TEACHER
I used to watch with my brother...
Do you like wrestling?
THIS SOUNDS LIKE A WRESTLING MATCH...
FEMALE MMA IS...
LIKED ONLY BY HARDCORE FANS
TO GET A WOMAN'S FIGHT AIRED ON NATIONAL TV SOME KIND OF ATTRACTION IS NEEDED

G-GIRL
THERE'S NO WAY A TV STATION WOULD AIR THIS OTHERWISE...
THE SPONSORS ARE STILL PLANNING SOMETHING ELSE AS A PLOY TO GET MORE VIEWERS.
BUT THEY STILL WANT TO CREATE SOME KIND OF EXPECTATION.
THE PARTICIPANTS HAVEN'T BEEN ANNOUNCED YET,
AND YOU'RE SAYING,
THAT TAKENAKA-SAN WAS USED FOR THAT PUR-POSE?

HE SAID: "I'M ALREADY RETIRED...
SO IF ANYTHING HAPPENS, IT WON'T HURT THE MMA WORLD."
ISN'T HE SILLY?
IS THAT WHAT HAPPENED?
AFTER HEARING THAT, I KIND OF LOST MY DRIVE...
BUT AT THE SAME TIME, I FEEL RELIEVED.
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TO BEAT RINGI CORDEIRO.
WELL, WHATEVER THE CASE,
I'M GOING TO GO ALL OUT...
I CAN NO LONGER BE SATISFIED WITH BEING CALLED THE STRONGEST WOMAN.
MY ULTIMATE GOAL IS TO BEAT A MAN.

I DON'T CARE!!
BUT... THAT WAS A SETUP, RIGHT?
NOW THAT GIRL IS CLOSER TO THAT GOAL THAN I AM!
THAT PART WILL NEVER GO AWAY!
WHETHER IT WAS A SETUP OR NOT. SHE BEAT TAKENAKA-SAN!
YOU KNOW...
AND THERE'S NO WAY I'M LETTING THAT GO.

I'M THE TYPE WON'T FEEL BETTER UNTIL I GET REVENGE.
THAT PART OF ME HASN'T CHANGED SINCE CHILDHOOD.
AH.
I'M GLAD.

IS JUST LIKE ME.
THIS WOMAN,
That's because I haven't been appearing lately.
YEAH, I TOTALLY FORGOT,
ABOUT MY ORIGINAL GOAL.
HMM.
THERE'S ACTUALLY A PROBLEM WITH THAT.
SINCE THAT WAS ONLY A PLOY USED TO GET VIEWERS.
BUT IF SHE FOUGHT WITH YOU, YOU'D BEAT HER IN NO TIME FLAT!

BECAUSE TAKENAKA-SAN...
GOT HIS RIBS BROKEN FROM THE KICK HE TOOK FROM THAT GIRL.
A 80KG MAN WAS LIFTED OFF HIS FEET, AND WAS KNOCKED OUT COLD...
RIGHT...
YEAH, HE DIDN'T JUMP, HE WAS LIFTED OFF OF IT.
THEN YOU MEAN THAT TIME HE JUMPED OFF THE MAT WAS...
80 kg = 167 lb
YOU CAN'T LET IT GO EITHER?

NA-CHAN?
WHY DID YOU SUDDENLY GET QUIET LIKE THAT?
You don't like Segal?
I like Van Damme
HMM?
I WAS JUST THINKING.
I NEVER DID ASK...
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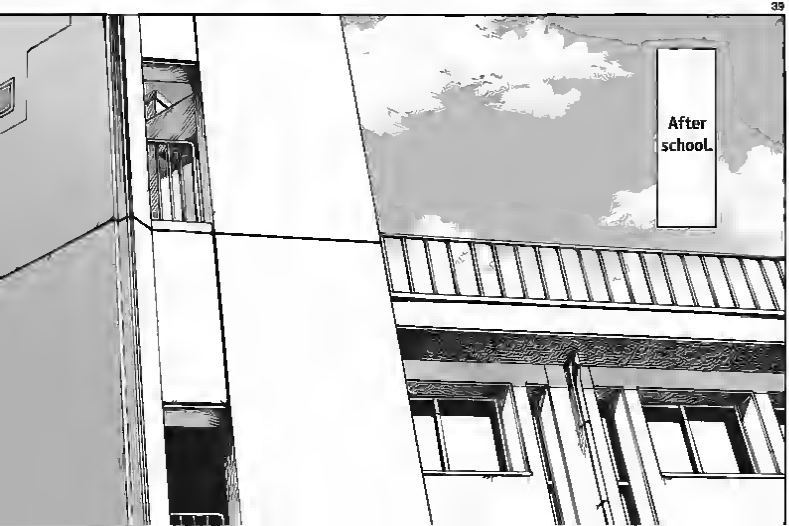
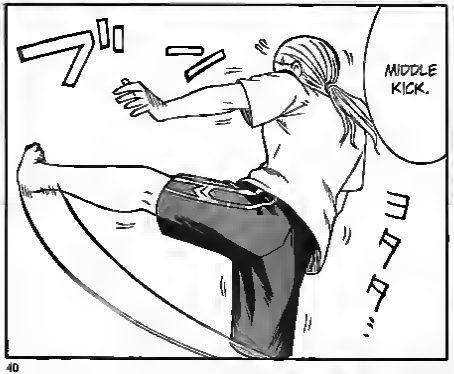
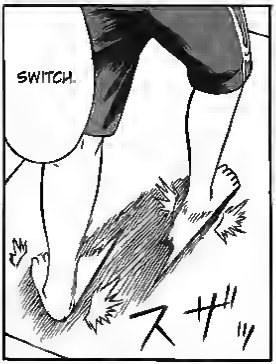
WHAT HER GOAL WAS.


After school.

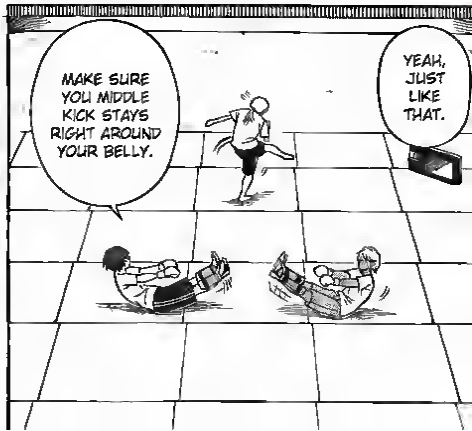
TWO.

ONE.


MIDDLE KICK.


SWITCH.

I STILL CAN'T MAKE THE SWITCH CLEANLY.
So should I kick higher?


MAKE SURE YOU MIDDLE KICK STAYS RIGHT AROUND YOUR BELLY.
YEAH, JUST LIKE THAT.

I'm getting depressed
THE AMOUNT OF TIME IT TAKES A TOTAL BEGINNER TO GET GOOD ENOUGH TO BE IN A MATCH,
IS A YEAR AT THE VERY LEAST.
Strike, throw, grapple.
BESIDES, IN MMA...
THERE'S TOO MUCH TO THINK OF.
3:00
molton

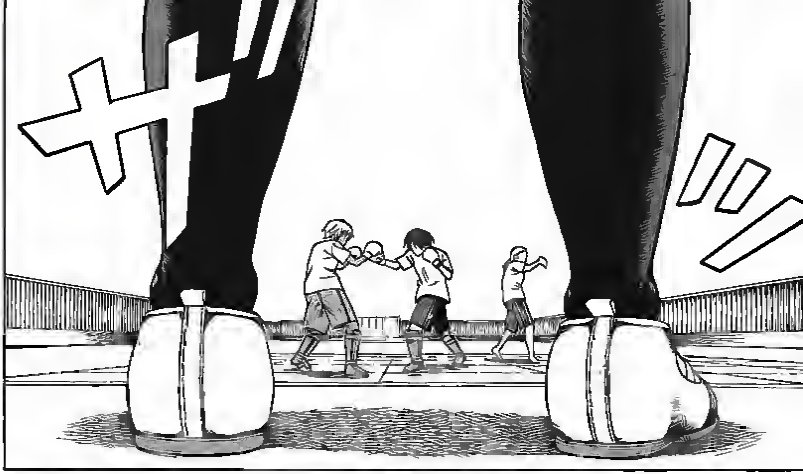
ALRIGHT!!

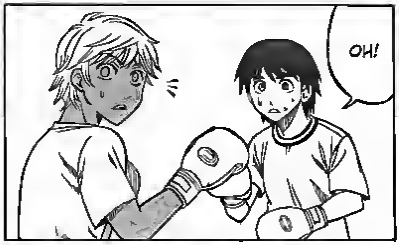
OH, OH.

WHOA!!

THEY STARTED A 3 MINUTE A ROUND MASS-SPAR, AND HAVE BEEN GOING FOR OVER AN HOUR ALREADY.
They're already at master level...
AS SOON AS THEY WERE DONE WARMING UP,

※ A MASS SPAR IS A SPAR WHERE YOU DON'T HIT YOUR OPPONENT.

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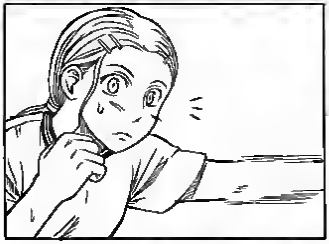

NAT-
SUUUO!
NATSUO-
CHAN!

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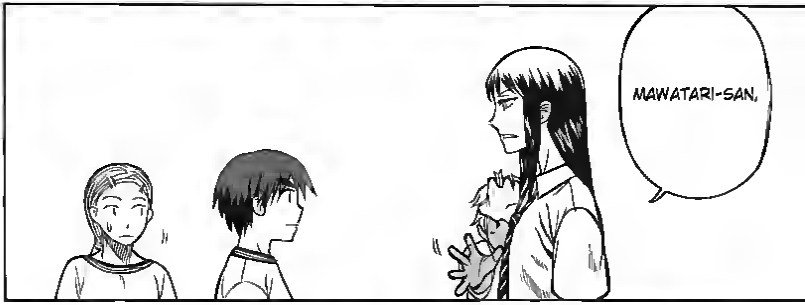
Are you a dog?
WOULD YOU CALM DOWN!
NATSUUO, SPAR WITH ME!
IS THAT SO?
IN ORDER TO BEAT YOU.
RIGHT NOW, I'M GOING TO A GYM.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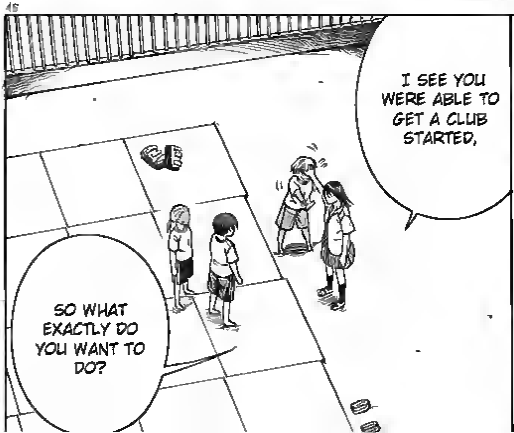
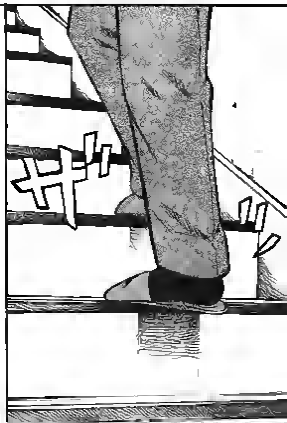

I SEE YOU WERE ABLE TO GET A CLUB STARTED,
SO WHAT EXACTLY DO YOU WANT TO DO?



I'VE NEVER HEARD OF ...
HIGH SCHOOL LEVEL MMA.
ARE YOU AIMING TO BE A PRO?
WITHOUT GOING TO A GYM?
.....
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.....
I WANT...
TO FIGHT WITH RINGS IN A PROPER MATCH.
ISN'T THAT...

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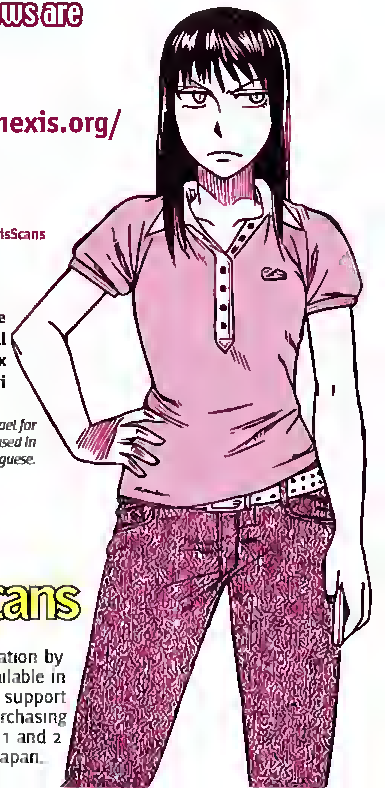

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Chapter 7:
Yeah, your eyebrows are really thick.
The living legend that has fought 500 times without losing is here!
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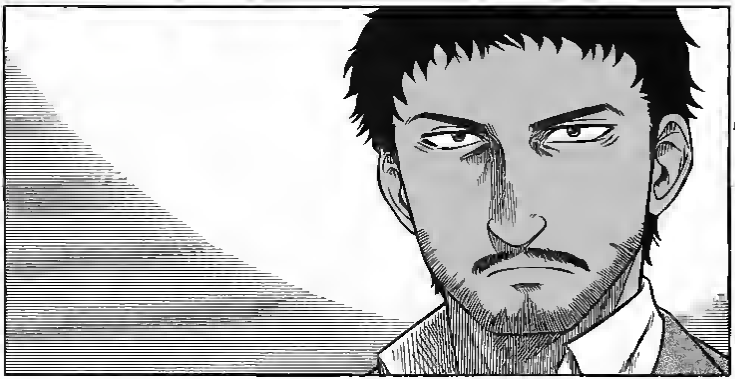
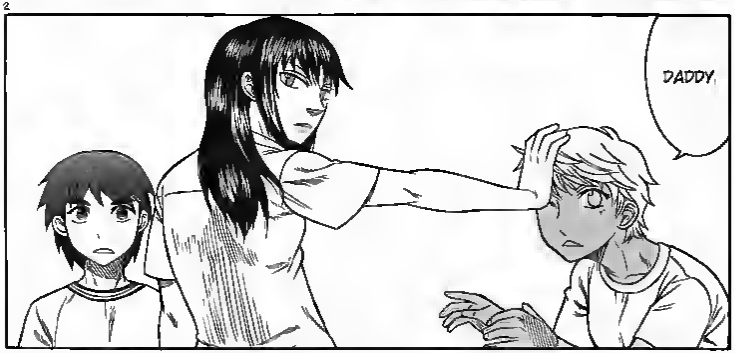


THE POUND FOR POUND BEST MMA FIGHTER, WHO'S ALSO RINGI'S FATHER IS SUDDENLY AT SCHOOL! BUT WHY?



SENSEI!
OI, TUDO BEM, MACAQUINHA?
(HAVE YOU BEEN WELL, LITTLE MONKEY?)
CLARO!!
(OF COURSE!)

I HAD SOME BUSINESS TO TAKE CARE OF IN THE AREA,
WHY ARE YOU HERE?
SO I CAME TO SEE YUZUKO.
Unlawful entry.

A lot of Brazillian males have names that end in "o". Mario, Francisco, João. Most women names end in "a".

FRIENDS?
She's tall
YEAH!
THE TALL ONE IS NATSUO-CHAN,
AND THE OTHER IS...
NATSUO!? SHE HAS A MASCULINE NAME... WELL, YUZUKO IS MASCULINE TOO

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NICE TO MEET YOU,
MY NAME IS MARIO CORDEIRO.
HI THERE ...
please don't hug me ...

WHO?!!

SO YOU'RE A STRIKER?
YOUR MUSCLES ARE STILL A LITTLE LACKING THOUGH.

HMM.

OLÁ SENHORITA.
(HELLO THERE, LITTLE ONE.)
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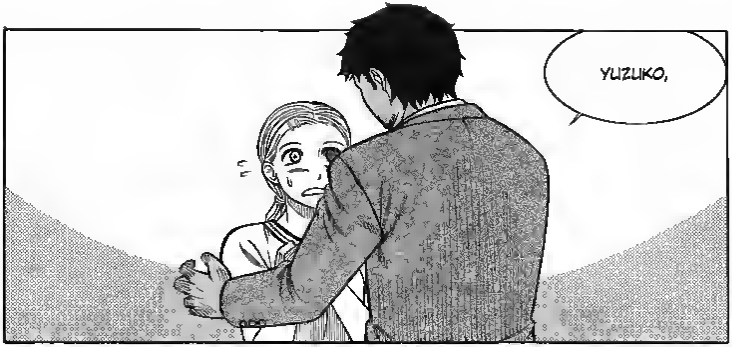
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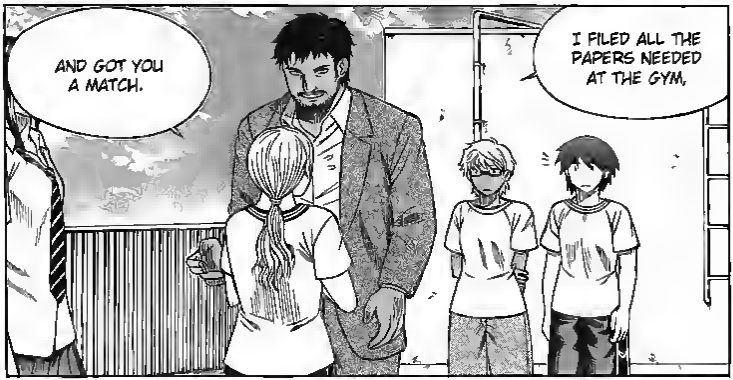
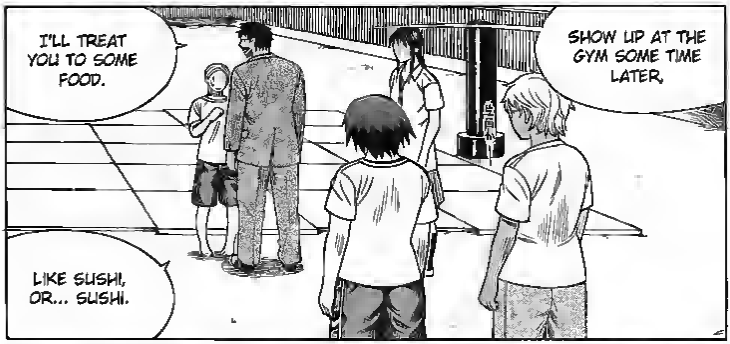

I FILED ALL THE PAPERS NEEDED AT THE GYM,
AND GOT YOU A MATCH.

YOU'RE PREPARED, RIGHT?

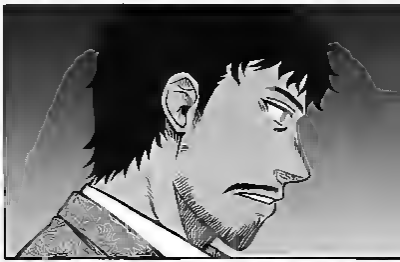
IN 10 DAYS THERE'S GOING TO BE AN AMATEUR FIGHT.
IN 10 DAYS...

OF COURSE!
NO FAIR.


I'LL TREAT YOU TO SOME FOOD.
SHOW UP AT THE GYM SOME TIME LATER,
LIKE SUSHI, OR... SUSHI.

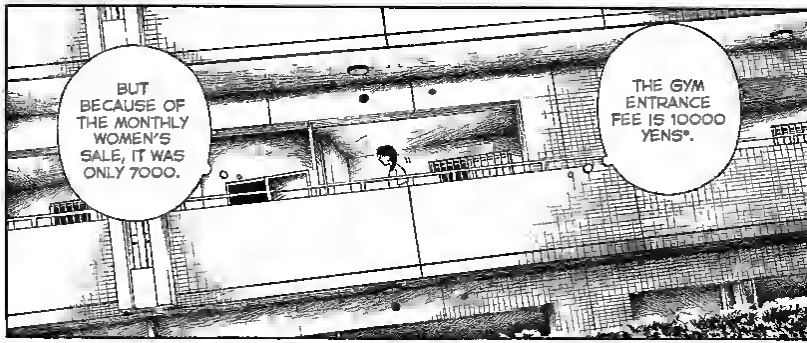
The two of us?

NOW THEN,
YOU TWO LADIES,



TRANSLATION: "THAT'S A BETTER ANSWER THAN I EXPECTED."

THAT'S THE WORLD'S BEST MMA FIGHTER...
YEAH,
10 DAYS FROM NOW I'M GOING TO HAVE A MATCH.
YOU LOOK HAPPY.
HUH?
When did that happen!?
IS THAT SO?



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* 7000 YENS IS ROUGHLY $70 USD

* 10000 YENS IS ROUGHLY $100 USD

YOU'RE BACK EARLY TODAY.
MOM?
.....
?

O...
ONII...
CHAN...

ビクッ
EVERYTHING IS ALRIGHT NOW...
CALM DOWN...

I'M BACK.
I'M...
IT'S ALRIGHT.
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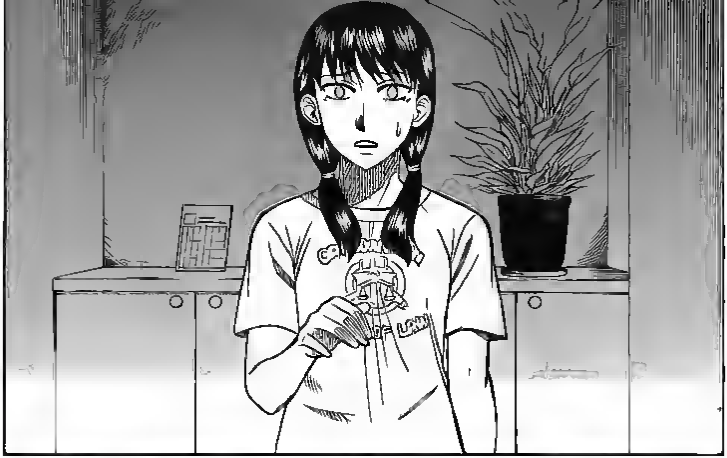
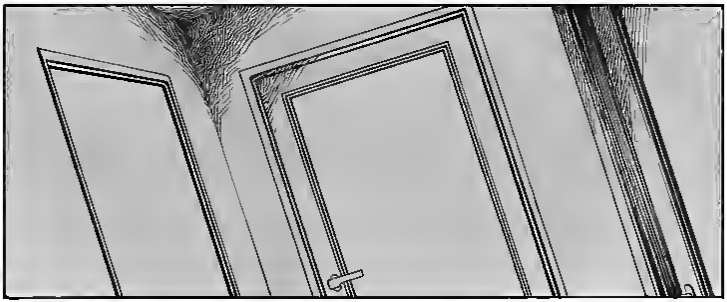
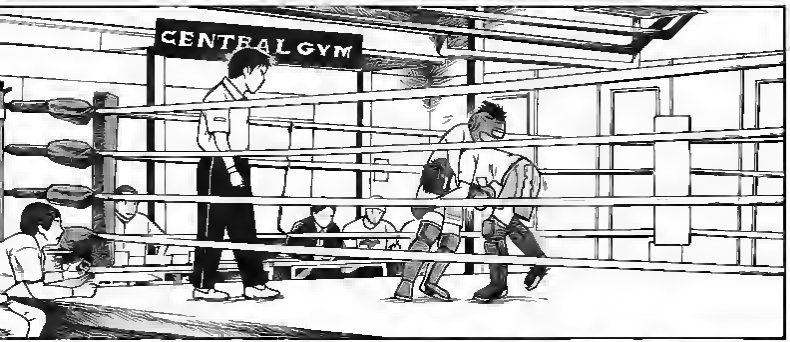




I'M BACK.

GENTRAL GYM
10 days later, the site of the fight.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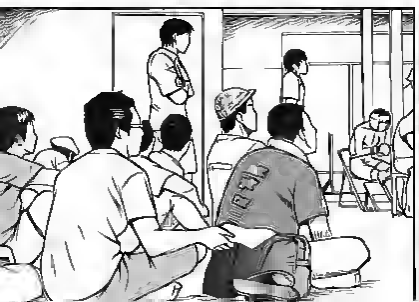
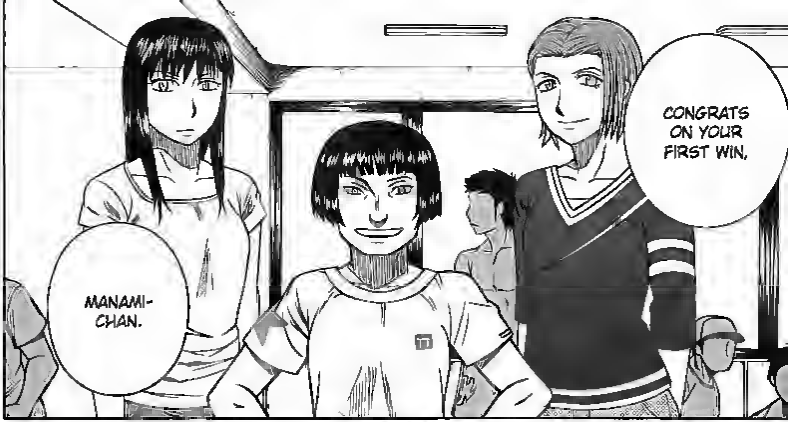
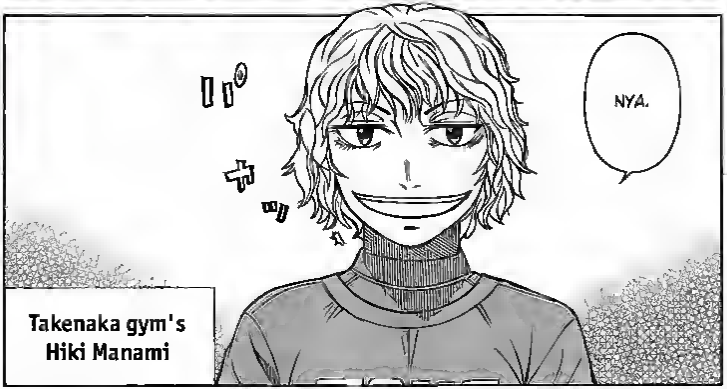


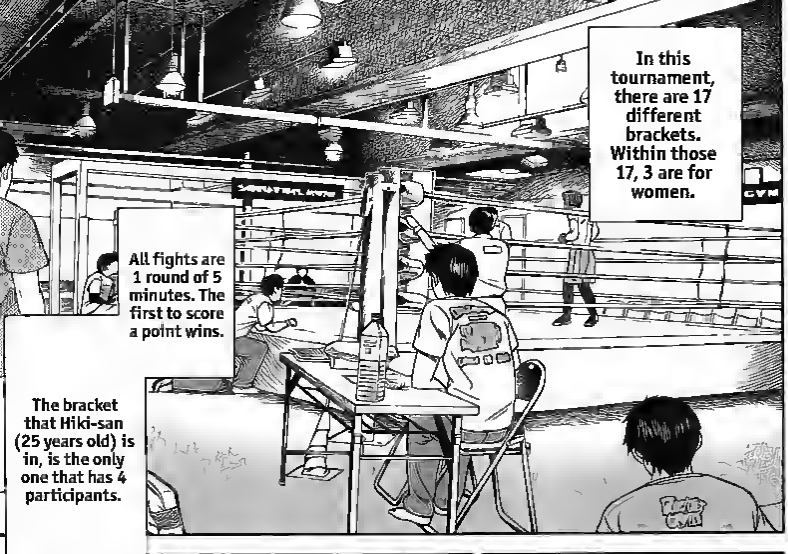
DON'T LET UP! KEEP PRESSING!
THERE'S ONLY 1 MINUTE LEFT.

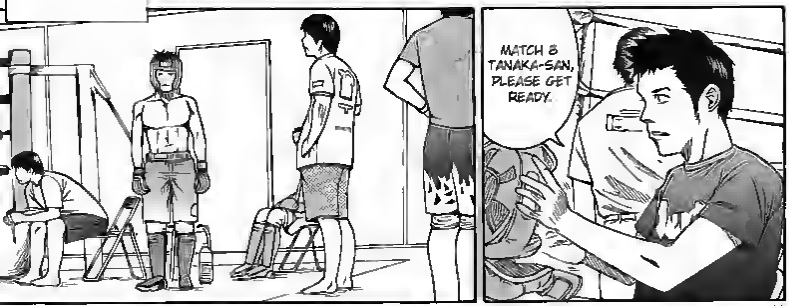

CONGRATS ON YOUR FIRST WIN,
MANAMI-CHAN.


NYA.
Takenaka gym's Hiki Manami

UFUFUFU, THAT WAS EASY.
VERY, VERY EASY...

YOU USED A CHOKE HOLD RIGHT?
JUMPING CROSS ARM LOCK.


In this tournament, there are 17 different brackets. Within those 17, 3 are for women.
All fights are 1 round of 5 minutes. The first to score a point wins.
The bracket that Hiki-san (25 years old) is in, is the only one that has 4 participants.


MATCH 8 TANAKA-SAN, PLEASE GET READY.

HAVING SAID THAT,
THIS ONE IS A LITTLE ROWDY...

THESE MATCHES ARE ALL GOING SO QUICKLY.
THIS IS HOW THINGS NORMALLY GO. IT WOULD BE A WASTE OF TIME TO INTRODUCE EVERYONE INDIVIDUALLY.

BECAUSE OF THAT.

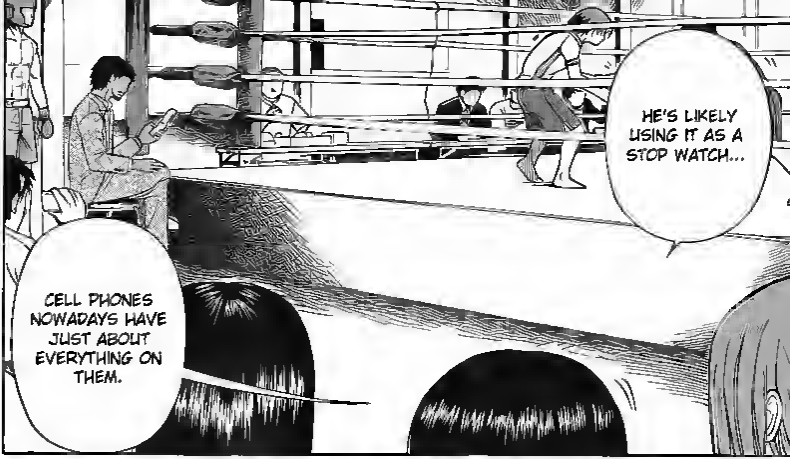
MARIO CORDEIRO HIMSELF IS HERE AS HER SECOND...
MAWATARI YUZUKO-CHAN, WAS IT?

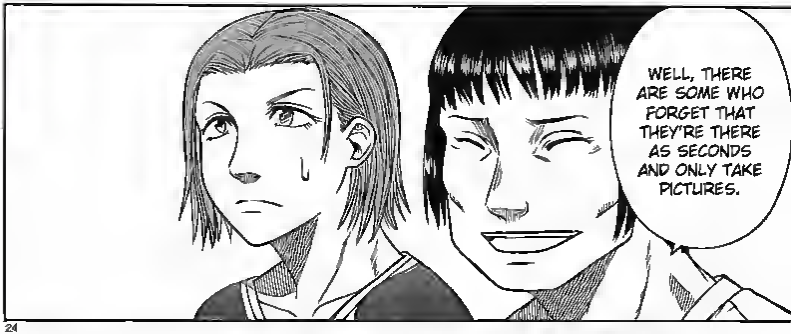
TAKE

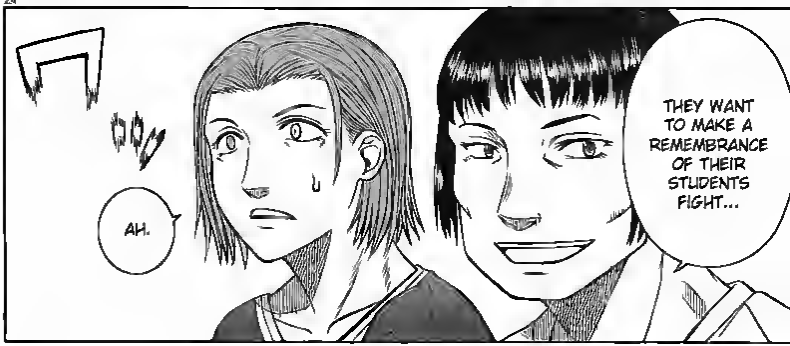
WHAT KIND OF RELATION-SHIP DOES SHE HAVE ...
WITH THAT FATHER DAUGHTER PAIR?

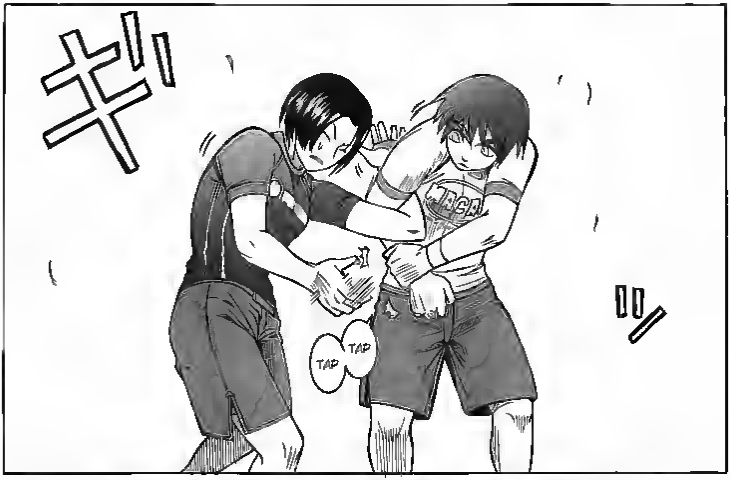
YOUR CLASS-MATE,

FIGHT #7, FEMALE FLYWEIGHT DIVISION (55KG AND UNDER) ROUND 2.
*119.5 pounds
IN THE RED CORNER FROM TEAM CORDEIRO, MAWATARI YUZUKO.
IN THE BLUE CORNER, FROM VERSUS GYM,
OOHASHI MIKI.
HE'S ON HIS CELL PHONE...
HE DOESN'T PLAN ON GIVING ADVICE?


HE'S LIKELY USING IT AS A STOP WATCH...
CELL PHONES NOWADAYS HAVE JUST ABOUT EVERYTHING ON THEM.


WELL, THERE ARE SOME WHO FORGET THAT THEY'RE THERE AS SECONDS AND ONLY TAKE PICTURES.


THEY WANT TO MAKE A REMEMBRANCE OF THEIR STUDENTS FIGHT...
AH.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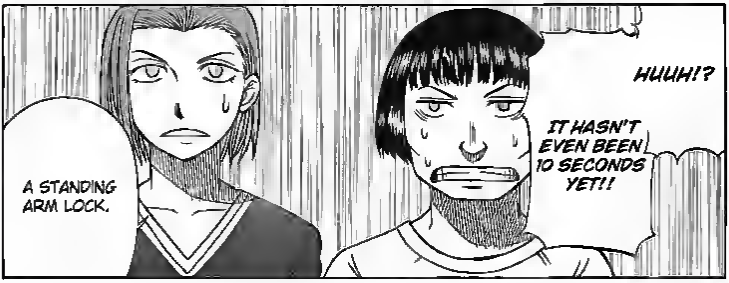
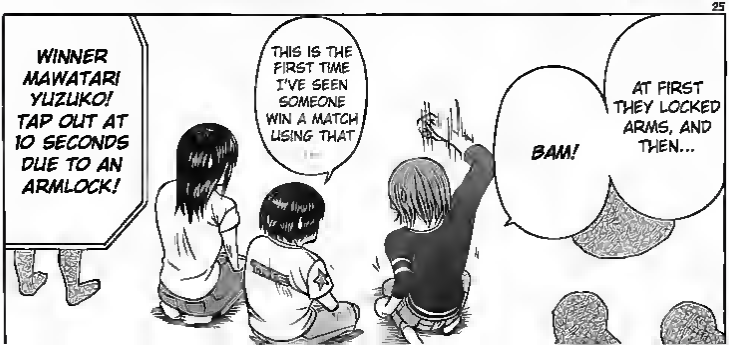
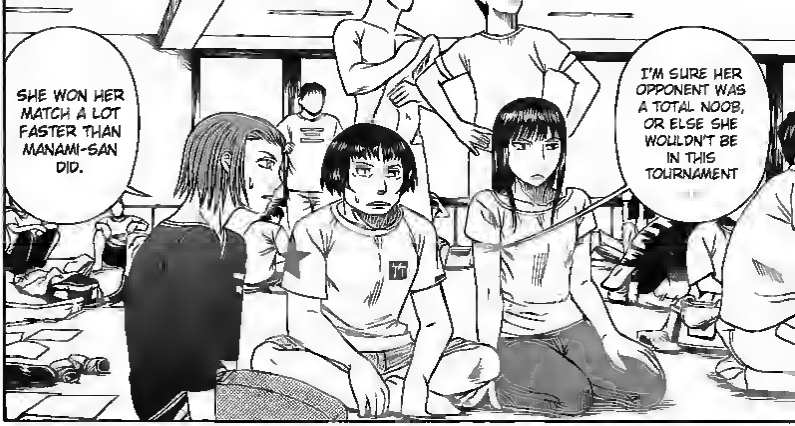
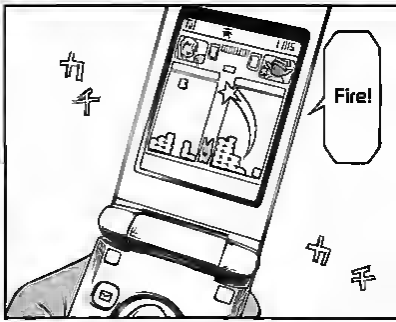

A STANDING ARM LOCK.
HUUH!?
IT HASN'T EVEN BEEN 10 SECONDS YET!!


WINNER MAWATARI YUZUKO! TAP OUT AT 10 SECONDS DUE TO AN ARMLOCK!
THIS IS THE FIRST TIME I'VE SEEN SOMEONE WIN A MATCH USING THAT
BAM!
AT FIRST THEY LOCKED ARMS, AND THEN...


SHE WON HER MATCH A LOT FASTER THAN MANAMI-SAN DID.
I'M SURE HER OPPONENT WAS A TOTAL NOOB, OR ELSE SHE WOULDN'T BE IN THIS TOURNAMENT

I CAN'T GET THE COMBO'S RIGHT...


Fire!

YUZUKO!
Alright!
GOOD JOB!

SO SHE'S MY OPPONENT FOR THE FINALS?
TAKE
SHE LOOKS LIKE TROUBLE.
ACCORDING TO THEM,
SHE AND RINGI CORDEIRO ARE ABOUT THE SAME LEVEL.
SHE'S ON THE SAME LEVEL AS THAT FIXED MATCH GIRL?
I'VE MADE UP MY MIND...
I'LL BEAT THAT GIRL AND THEN GO PRO...
TAKE

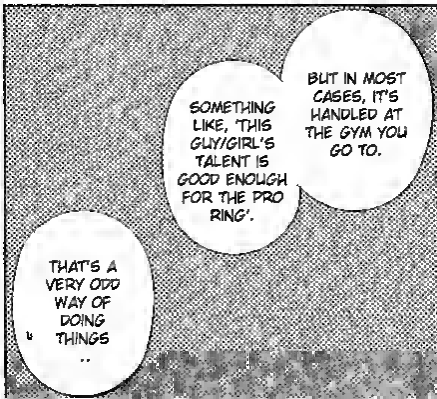
REALLY !?
SO YOU'VE FINALLY DECIDED TO GO PRO, HUH?

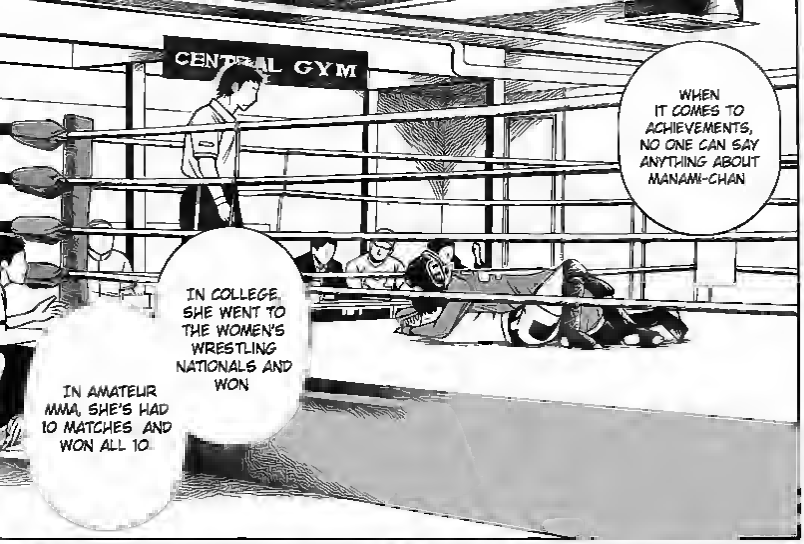
BUT THIS SEEMS LIKE THE PERFECT CHANCE TO DO SO.
I'VE BEEN RIDING THE FENCE UP UNTIL NOW,

THERE ISN'T.
THERE ARE SOME PLACES THAT WILL GIVE YOU A PRO LICENSE...

.....?
THERE ISN'T A TEST OR A MATCH OR SOMETHING NEEDED TO GO PRO?

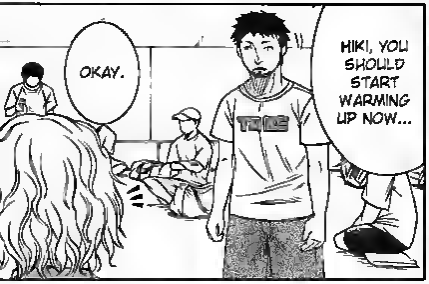
AND BECAUSE OF THAT,
THERE ARE SOME PEOPLE WHO MAKE THEIR PRO DEBUT AFTER ONLY 3 MONTHS OF GOING TO A GYM.


BUT IN MOST CASES, IT'S HANDLED AT THE GYM YOU GO TO.
SOMETHING LIKE, 'THIS GUY/GIRL'S TALENT IS GOOD ENOUGH FOR THE PRO RING'.
THAT'S A VERY ODD WAY OF DOING THINGS ..


CENTRAL GYM
WHEN IT COMES TO ACHIEVEMENTS, NO ONE CAN SAY ANYTHING ABOUT MANAMI-CHAN
IN COLLEGE, SHE WENT TO THE WOMEN'S WRESTLING NATIONALS AND WON
IN AMATEUR MMA, SHE'S HAD 10 MATCHES AND WON ALL 10.

BUT JUST BECAUSE THEY'RE GOOD IT DOESN'T MEAN THEY CAN MAKE A LIVING OFF OF IT.
THERE ARE TONS OF PEOPLE LIKE THAT IN MMA.

YOU WERE THAT GOOD?
WELL, TO MOST PEOPLE, I'M YOUR AVERAGE OFFICE LADY.


OKAY.
HIKI, YOU SHOULD START WARMING UP NOW...

IT'S EVEN WORSE FOR WOMEN
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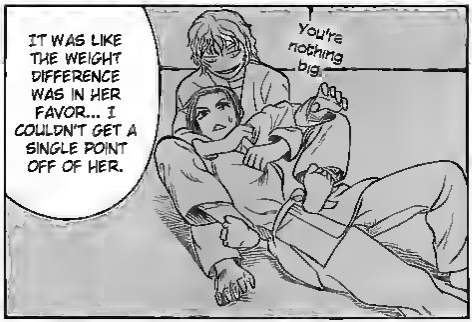
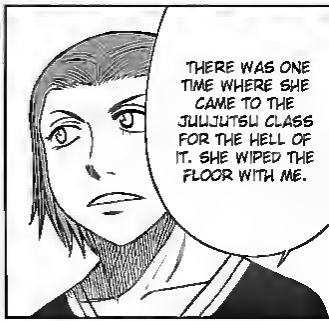
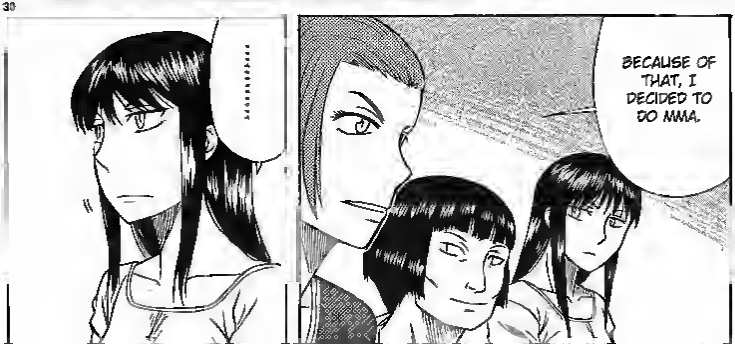

IT WAS LIKE THE WEIGHT DIFFERENCE WAS IN HER FAVOR... I COULDN'T GET A SINGLE POINT OFF OF HER.
You're nothing big.


THERE WAS ONE TIME WHERE SHE CAME TO THE JUUJUTSU CLASS FOR THE HELL OF IT. SHE WIPED THE FLOOR WITH ME.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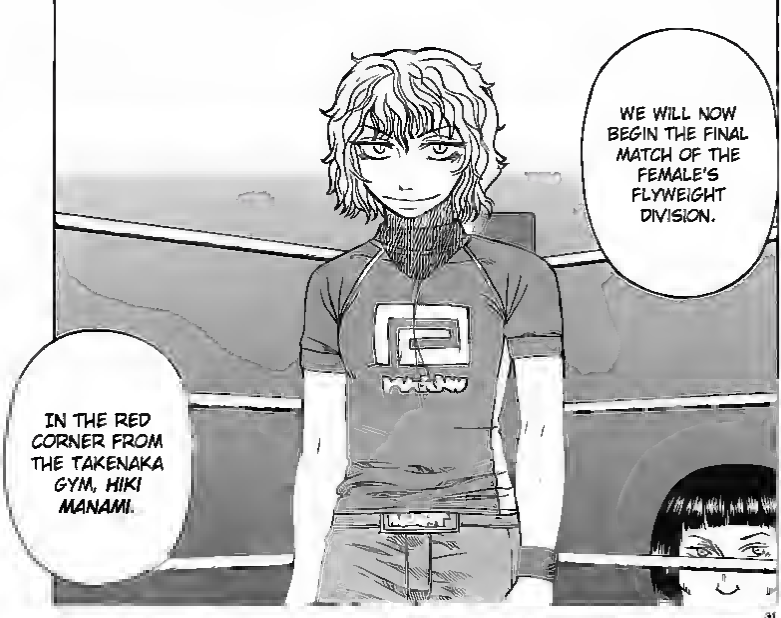
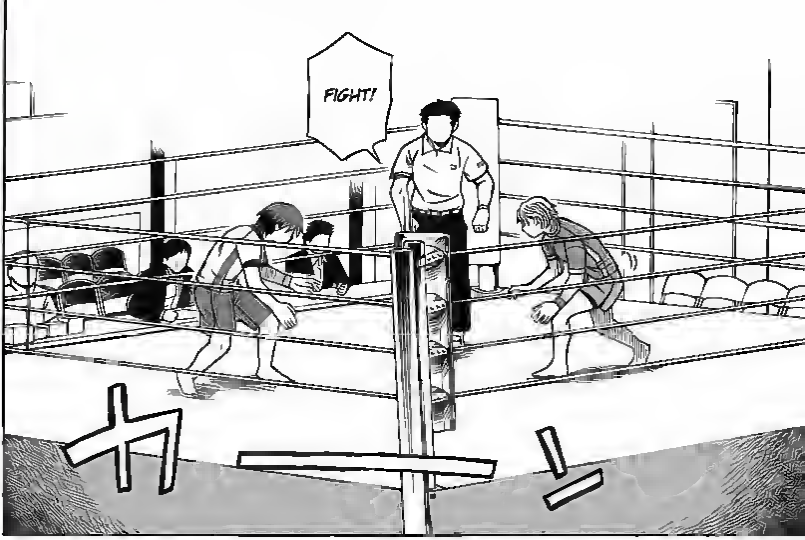
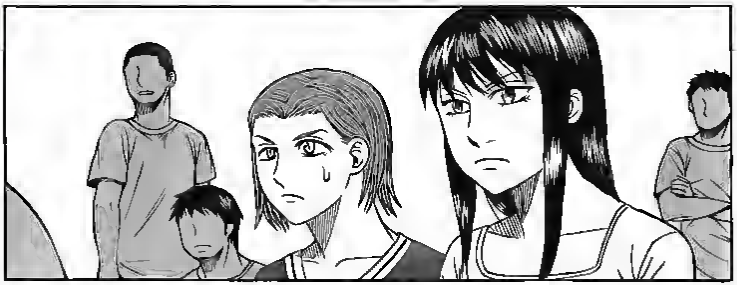
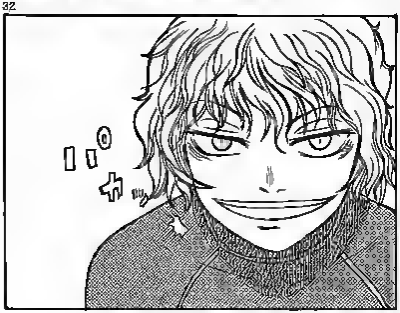
BECAUSE OF THAT, I DECIDED TO DO MMA.

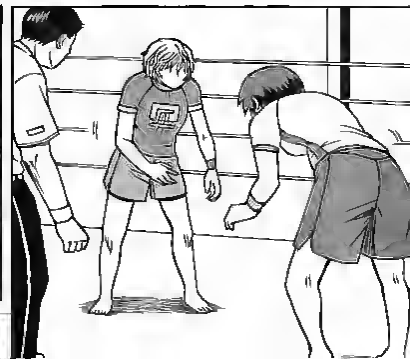

WE WILL NOW BEGIN THE FINAL MATCH OF THE FEMALE'S FLYWEIGHT DIVISION.
IN THE RED CORNER FROM THE TAKENAKA GYM, HIKI MANAMI.

IN THE BLUE CORNER, FROM TEAM CORDEIRO, MAWATARI YUZUKO.
MACACO


FIGHT!







GOOD LUCK.

GOOD LU...

SHE COUNTERED HER TACKLE THAT QUICKLY!?
WHAT KIND OF REFLEXES DOES SHE HAVE?

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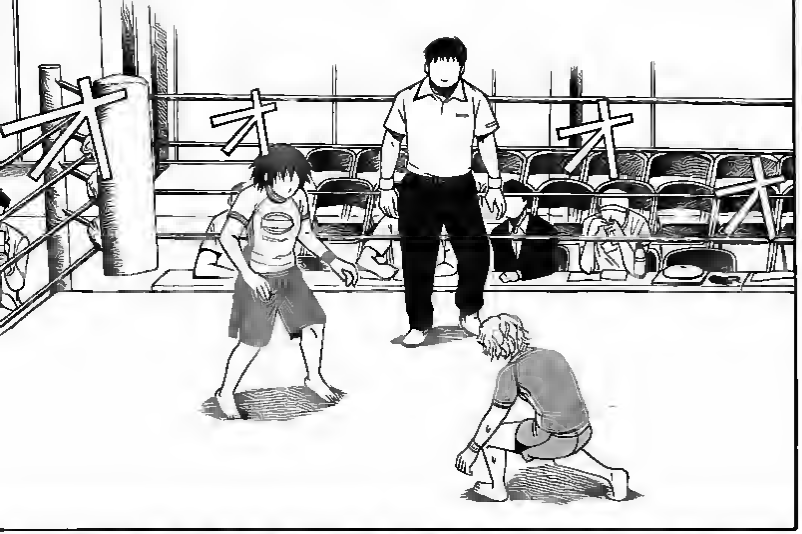
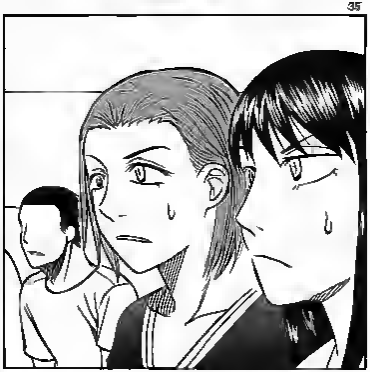


SHE LET ME BACK UP?
AREN'T YOU TAKING ME A LITTLE TOO LIGHTLY?

Fire



WELL, WITH THAT IN HER CORNER,
THAT MEANS SHE'S A GRAPPLER, RIGHT...?

LET'S FIGHT IT OUT ON THE MATS!
THAT'S FINE... I'LL KEEP BRINGING IT INTO A GRAPPLE MATCH.
SFX : STEP
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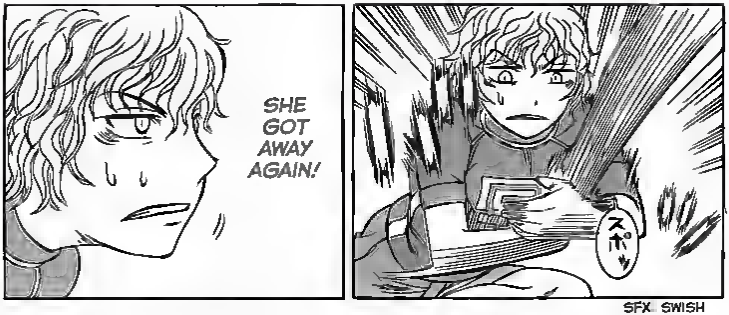

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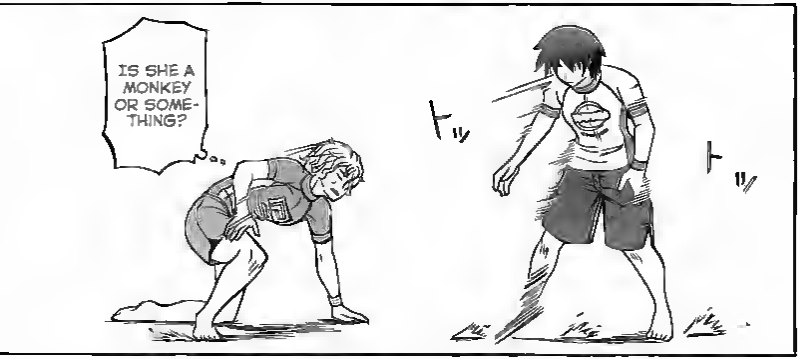

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A JUMPING CHOKE HOLD...
LIKE I'LL LET YOU!
HUH?
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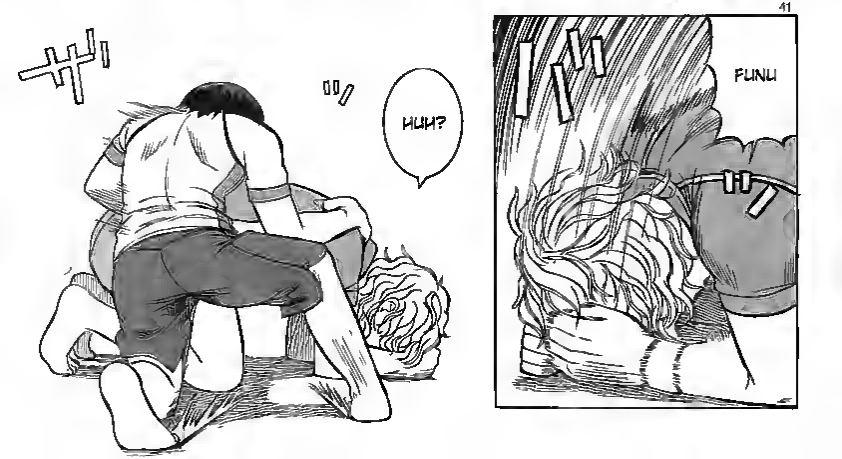
ストン
CALM DOWN, AND PREVENT HER FROM ESCAPING!
THAT WAS CLOSE.

A HIP THROW?
You grab the opponent's arm, and put yourself on top.
NOT GONNA HAPPEN!

OH SHI...
SHE'LL PUT A CHOKE HOLD ON FROM BEHIND YOU!
TURTLE UP TO AVOID IT!
ARMPIT ESCAPE?
SHE BAITED HER INTO THINKING A HIP THROW WAS COMING!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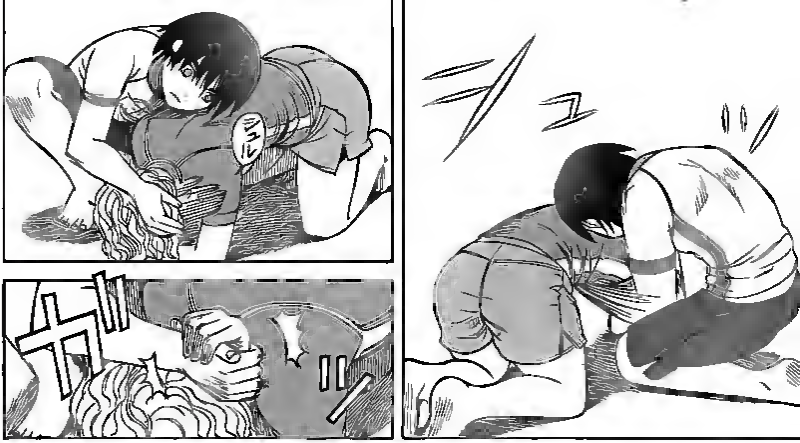
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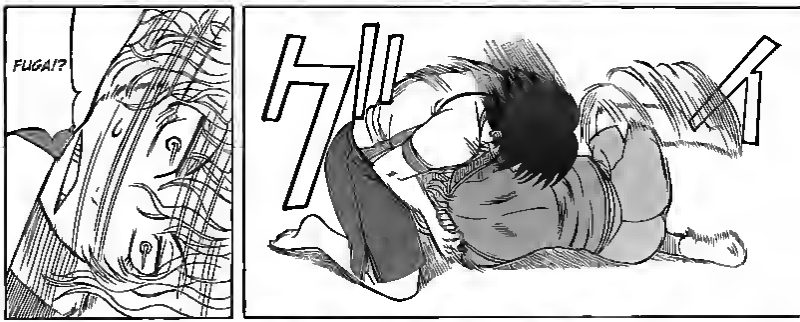
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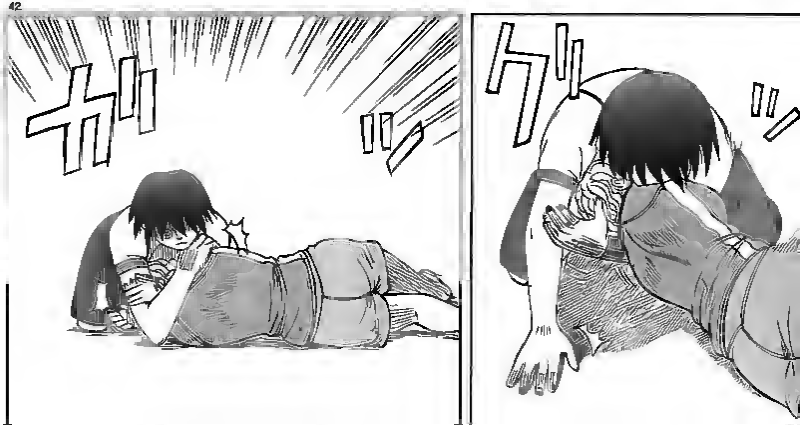
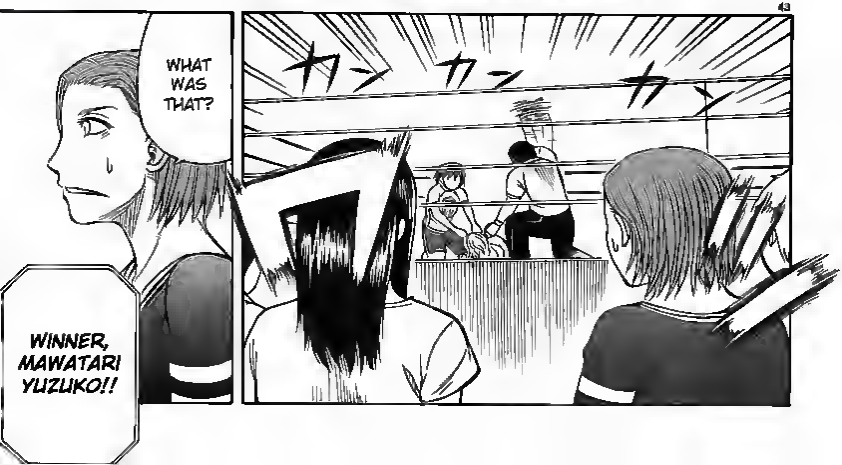


NOT GOOD, SHE HAS HER IN A GOOD LOCK...
MANAMI! YOU NEED TO SHIFT YOUR BODY POSITION!
TAP
TAP


WHAT WAS THAT?
WINNER, MAWATARI YUZUKO!!

COUGH

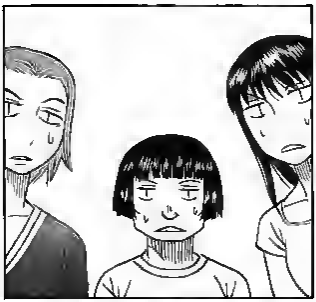
WHAT'S WITH THIS CHICK...

KAICACO

THE MATCH ENDED BEFORE I COULD DO ANYTHING.

THAT WAS FUN.
LET'S DO IT AGAIN

I DIDN'T WANT TO LOSE!!!
WAAAAAAAAAAHHHHHHH!!!!



OHHHHHHHHH!!!
UNTIL YOU'VE CRIED YOURSELF DRY.
CRY IT ALL OUT.
This was unexpected.

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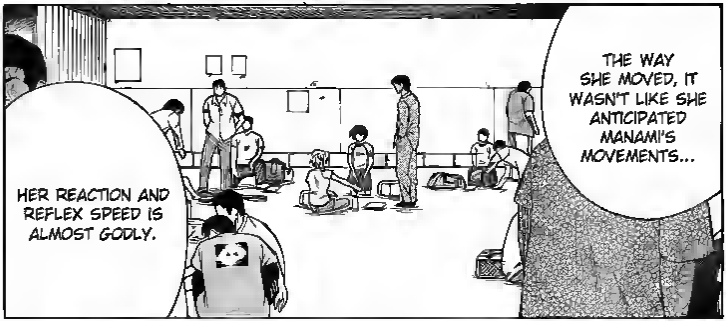
WELL...
UM, YOU KNOW...

I DIDN'T THINK A GIRL LIKE HER EXISTED.
BUT THAT WAS VERY SURPRISING.


HER REACTION AND REFLEX SPEED IS ALMOST GODLY.
THE WAY SHE MOVED, IT WASN'T LIKE SHE ANTICIPATED MANAMI'S MOVEMENTS...

CAME HERE TO SEE THAT, RIGHT?
YOU...

YES.
.....

FINALLY, WE WILL PRESENT THE AWARDS TO THE WINNERS.
FIRST, THE AWARD FOR 'FASTEST WIN', GOES TO MAWATARI YUZUKO.
THE AWARD FOR BEST TECHNIQUE GOES TO MAWATARI YUZUKO.
THE AWARD FOR BEST BOUT, GOES TO MAWATARI YUZUKO.

THE WINNER OF THIS TOURNAMENT, IS MAWATARI YUZUKO.

MACACO
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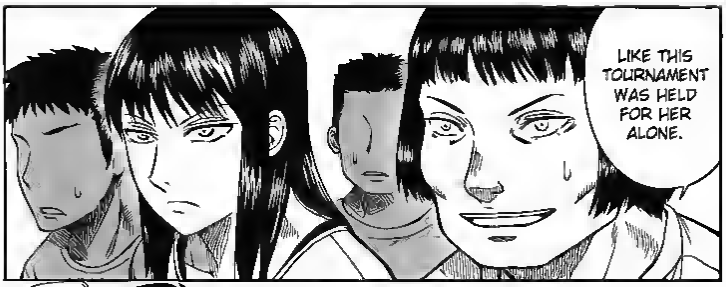
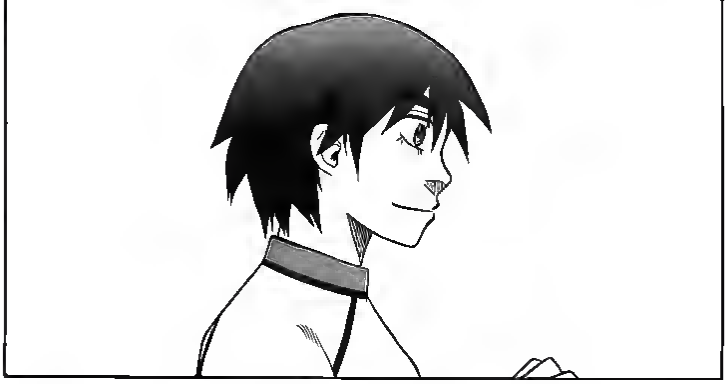
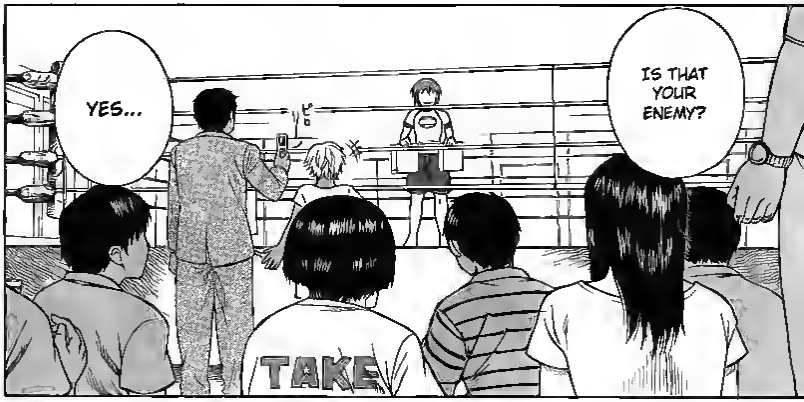
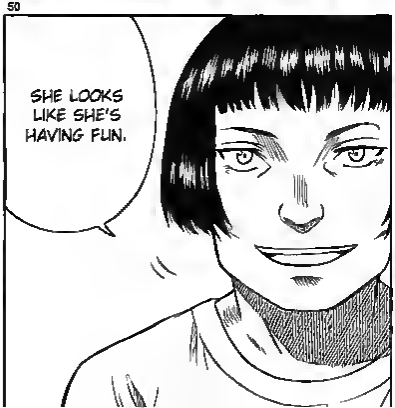

LIKE THIS TOURNAMENT WAS HELD FOR HER ALONE.

CLICK
ウヒョー
YUZUKO! YOU LOOKED COOL AS HELL OUT THERE!




IS THAT YOUR ENEMY?
YES...
TAKE


SHE LOOKS LIKE SHE'S HAVING FUN.

ALTHOUGH... I'M REALLY JUST JEALOUS.

NOT THAT SHE'S HAPPY,
BUT HAVING FUN.
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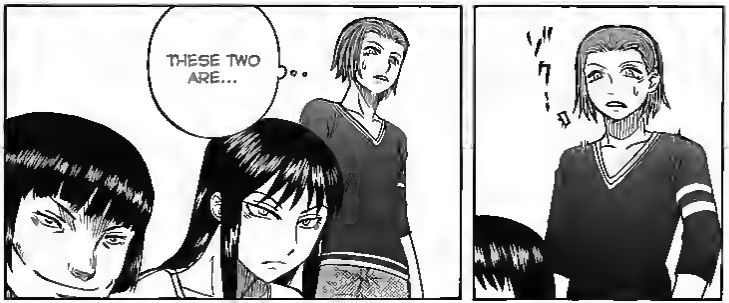
AT THAT YOUNG AGE,
WITH THE ABILITIES SHE HAS...
WITH NO SETBACKS, TROUBLE, FATIGUE, OR EVEN PRIDE TO TALK ABOUT...
SHE ONLY FEELS THE SENSE OF ACCOMPLISHMENT...

YOU'RE LIKE THAT TOO.
YEAH
I FEEL LIKE HUNTING HER.


THESE TWO ARE...
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IT'S REALLY ...

TAKE

A GOOD THING TO HAVE YOUR GOAL,

IN SUCH A BRIGHT SPOT.
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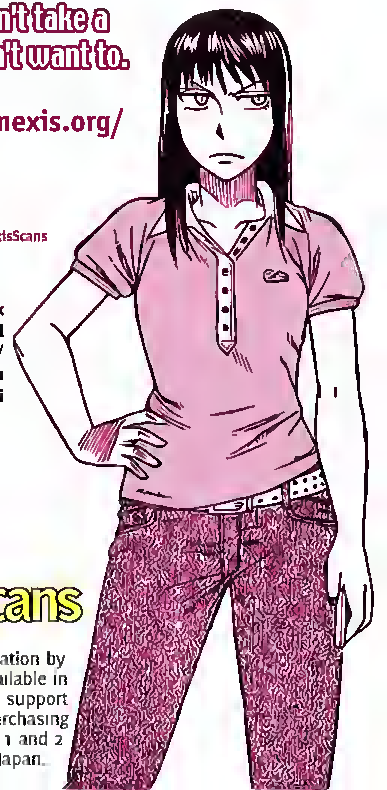

Chapter 8: It's not that she can't take a hint, she just doesn't want to.

IN AN HOUR, THERE'S GOING TO BE A PRO MATCH HERE.
PLEASE CLEAR THE AREA AS QUICKLY AS POSSIBLE.
Please don't leave anything behind~
MANAMI-CHAN, WE NEED TO GET OUT OF HERE QUICKLY.
UGGH HHH.
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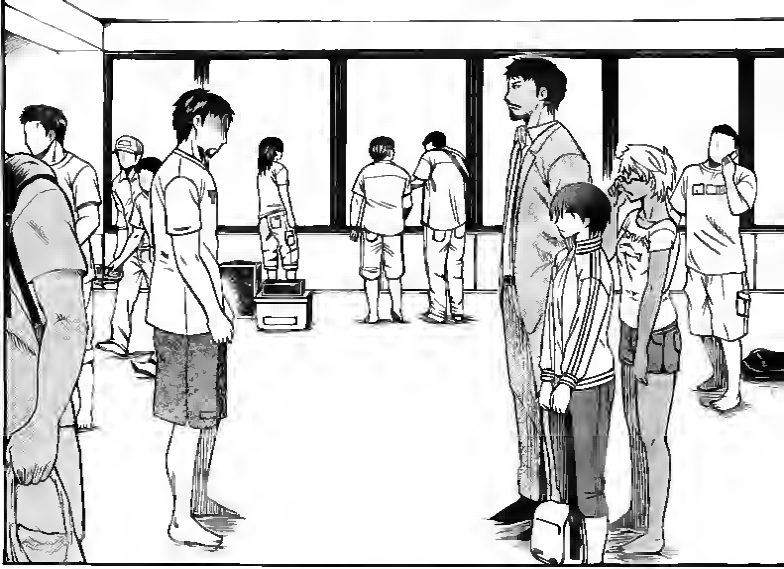
SAVA

SAVA



OH,
YOU'RE... TAKE... NAKA...

IT'S NICE TO SEE YOU AGAIN,
MARIO CORDEIRO.

THANKS FOR THE OTHER DAY.
IT'S TAKENAKA RISUKE.
TAKE
TAKE-NAKA-SAN!!
NICE TO SEE YOU AGAIN!!
SAVA
TAKE-NAKA-SAN.
ALWAYS IN HIGH SPIRITS I SEE.
NICE TO SEE YOU TOO, RINGI-CHAN.

ARE YOUR RIBS ALRIGHT NOW?
IT'S NICE TO SEE YOU UP AND ABOUT TOO..
IT WAS TOUGH YAWNING FOR A WHILE THOUGH.
IT'S NO BIG DEAL ..
HA HA. THERE'S NO NEED FOR YOU TO WORRY. THANKS THOUGH.
I'M SORRY. ARE YOU ALRIGHT?

I'M SURPRISED ...
THAT YOU HAVE THE BALLS TO WALK OUTSIDE DURING THE DAY.
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...
AFTER MY DAUGHTER BROKE YOUR RIBS,
AND KNOCKED YOU OUT COLD ON TV...
YOU STILL HAVE THE BALLS
TO SHOW UP AS A SECOND FOR YOUR STUDENT.

I HEARD THAT THE JAPANESE KNEW WHAT THE WORD SHAME MEANS.
BUT I GUESS THAT WAS NOTHING MORE THAN A RUMOR.
YOU LITTLE !!!!
!!
TAKE-NAKA-SAN...

LISTEN ...
MARIO,
WHY DON'T ...
YOU AND ME HAVE A MATCH?
ME? FIGHT YOU?
WHY THE HELL WOULD I FIGHT THE MAN MY DAUGHTER BEAT?

YOU MIGHT NOT KNOW, BUT THE JAPANESE ARE VERY VENGEFUL.
WHEN A POWERFUL OPPONENT THROWS DIRT ON THE WEAKER GUYS PRIDE, HE RISES UP FOR REVENGE.
YOU MEAN LIKE ROOTING FOR THE UNDERDOG... LIKE A FAITHFUL SERVANT.
?
Underdog?
IF THAT'S THE CASE, THEN YOU'RE BARKING UP THE WRONG TREE.
SAVA
THE ONE TO FIGHT HER WILL BE MY STUDENT.
TAKE

AND IF THAT'S THE CASE, THEN THE ONLY ONE THAT CAN FIGHT ME...
WOULD BE HER TEACHER, YOU.
TAKE
THAT'S ABSOLUTE LUDICROUS.
BUT IT'S PRETTY INTERESTING, RIGHT?
TAKE
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AH.
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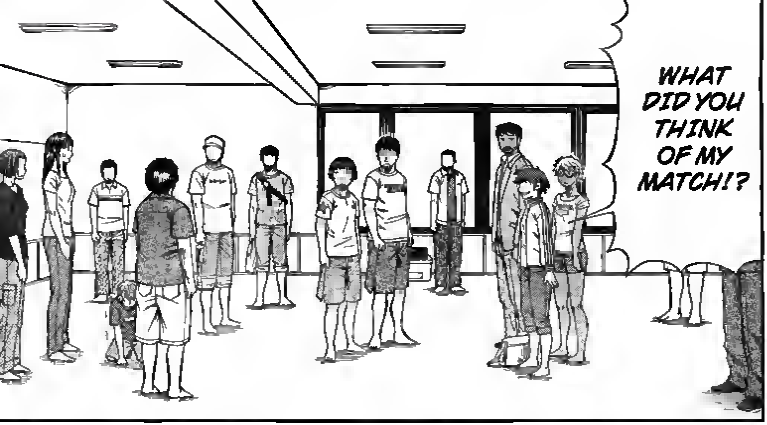
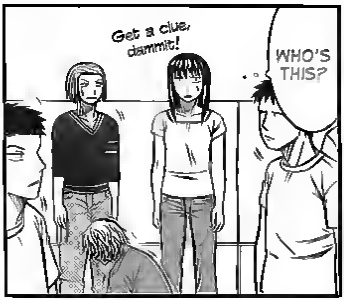
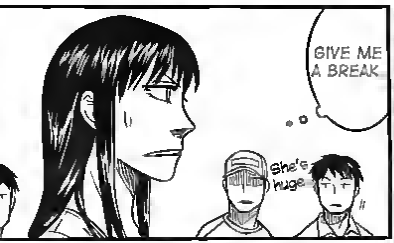
NATSUO-CHAN !!!
huh?

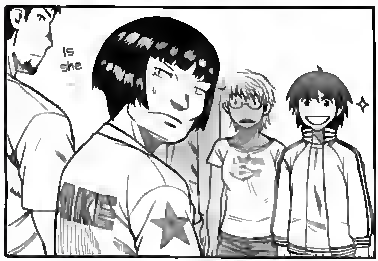

WHAT DID YOU THINK OF MY MATCH!?


Get a clue, dammit!
WHO'S THIS?


GIVE ME A BREAK
She's huge

IS THAT THE GIRL FROM THEIR SCHOOL?
NAT-SUUO!

I WAS SURPRISED AT JUST HOW GOOD YOU ARE!!
IT WAS AMAZING !!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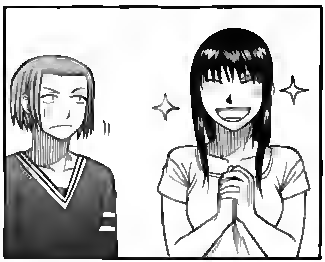
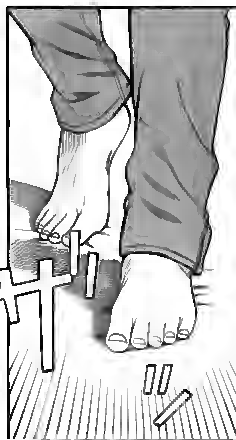


SO I CAN CATCH UP TO YOU ONE DAY!!
I'LL PRACTICE WITH ALL MY MIGHT,



NAT-SUUO!!
Me too, me too!
YEAH!!
I DON'T KNOW WHY, BUT MY DAUGHTERS ARE VERY EXCITED...
SAVIA
SO WE'RE THE POWERFUL OPPONENTS,
AND YOU GUYS ARE THE WEAKLINGS ...
I SEE,
WE'RE THE ANTAGO-NISTS HERE.
AND THE NUMBERS ARE JUST RIGHT TOO...

A SET UP LIKE THIS IS PRETTY INTERESTING.
YOU'RE RIGHT,

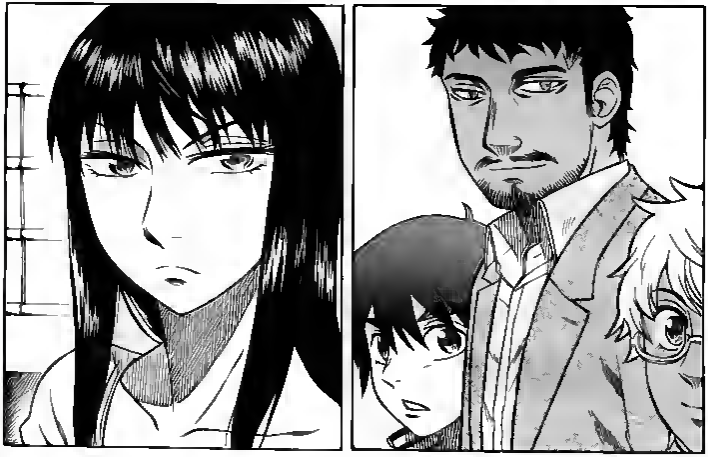
SAVA
I JUST HOPE,
THAT YOU RE ABLE TO KEEP UP WITH US.
TAKE

SHIRRRR
THIS IS TURNING OUT TO BE A GOOD PRODUCTION.
AND THAT'S THE REAL REASON I CAME OUT HERE TODAY.
YEAH.

REPORTER, WRITE AS MUCH ABOUT HER AS POSSIBLE PLEASE.
SHE'S MY SECRET WEAPON.
SECRET WEAPON!
IT'S A SMALL TOURNAMENT, BUT SHE DID REALLY WELL.
THIS WILL MAKE GOOD PUBLICITY.

I'LL CONSIDER YOUR MATCH PROPOSAL.
HOWEVER,
I'LL ONLY DO IT IF MR.CHIPMUNK RETURNS TO ACTIVE DUTY...
I HOPE,
THEY'LL BE WILLING TO LET YOU BACK IN.

INSPIRIT



TAKE-
NAKA-
SAN...
TAKE

THAT WAS A PRETTY GOOD ACT, RIGHT?
I'M SURPRISED ...
THAT YOU HAVE THE BALLS TO WALK OUTSIDE DURING THE DAY...
Considering who was there...
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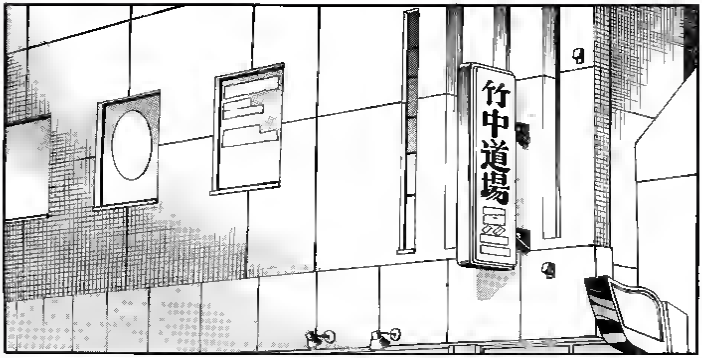
HOW DID YOU GET CAUGHT UP IN ALL THAT?
I WAS THE BLACK SHEEP IN ALL THAT, WASN'T I
ABSO-LUTELY.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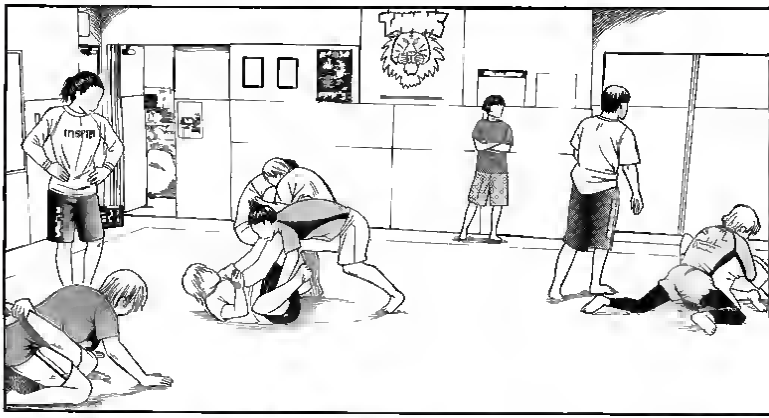

MANAMI-CHAN HASN'T BEEN HERE FOR A WHILE.

I TRIED CALLING HER ONCE...
YEAH. HER OPPONENT WAS STILL IN HIGH SCHOOL.
I GUESS LOSING LIKE THAT WAS A REALLY SHOCK TO HER.
AND... THAT SHE'S DOING SOMETHING THAT SHOULDN'T BE MENTIONED...
BUT FROM WHAT I GATHER, EVERY NIGHT SHE FACES A WALL AND PLAYS THE GUITAR.
SHE'LL COME AROUND SOONER OR LATER.
BUT COMPARED TO HER...
SHE'S MORE EASILY INFLUENCED THAN HER FACE LETS OFF.
WHAT'S WORSE IS SHE FINALLY DECIDED TO GO PRO TOO...

She's locked me in again
THOSE TWO COME HERE ALMOST EVERYDAY.
IT'S SO GOOD TO BE YOUNG.

I'M SURPRISED YOU'RE STILL HERE.
YOU GET BEATEN EVERY SINGLE DAY,
YOU GO TO THE SAME SCHOOL ...
AS THAT MAWATARI GIRL...
.....
RIGHT?
WHOA!

ズドーン
I'LL BE THE ONE THAT GETS REVENGE FOR MANAMI-SAN!!
.....
IS A HIP THROW THE ONLY OPTION?

I TRIED DOING THAT ONCE, BUT ENDED UP IN A WORSE POSITION,
AND SHE THREW AN ARM LOCK ON ME
MANAMI-SAN TRIED TO DEFEND AGAINST THAT,
AND ENDED UP LOSING HER MOUNTED POSITION!
FROM THIS POSITION, SHE'LL EITHER DO...
A CROSS ARM LOCK, OR A SHOULDER LOCK
smack
A 3 POINT LOCK!!

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AND,
SHE ENDS IT WITH A CROSS ARM LOCK.
DUMMY!

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TIME
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Now then, next

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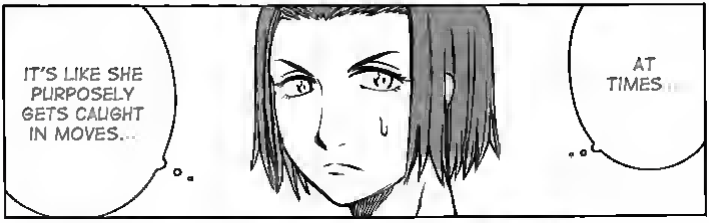
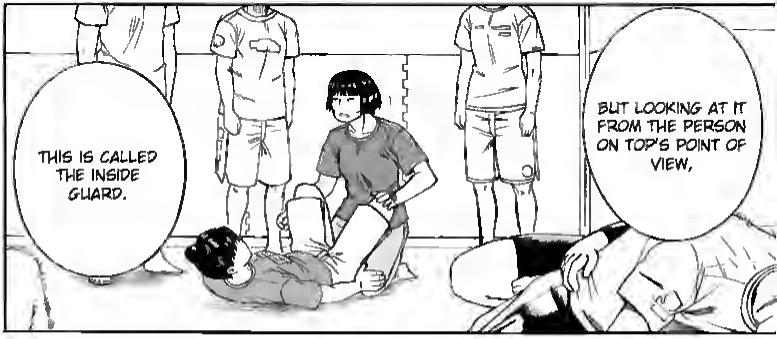
THANKS ...


IT'S LIKE SHE PURPOSELY GETS CAUGHT IN MOVES...
AT TIMES

IT'S LIKE SHE'S ON THE LOOK OUT FOR NEW MOVES.
I'll be your next partner
Okay.
AND A MOVE OR COMBO THAT WAS USED ON HER BEFORE, SHE REACTS IMMEDIATELY TO

THIS NEW...

FEELING OF STARTING FROM ZERO AND ABSORBING EVERYTHING...



AND AS A PLUS, I EVEN HAVE A CLEAR GOAL...

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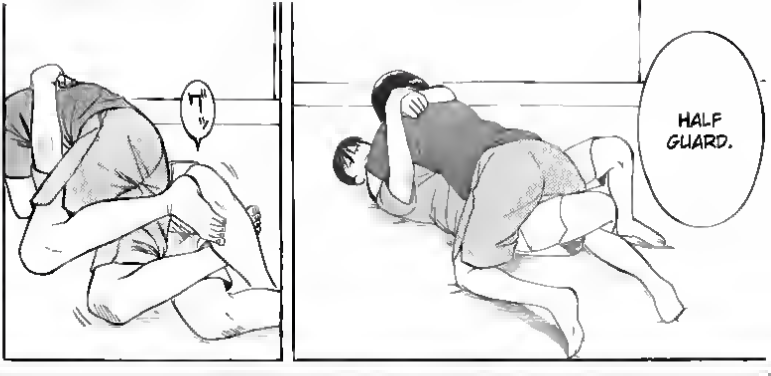
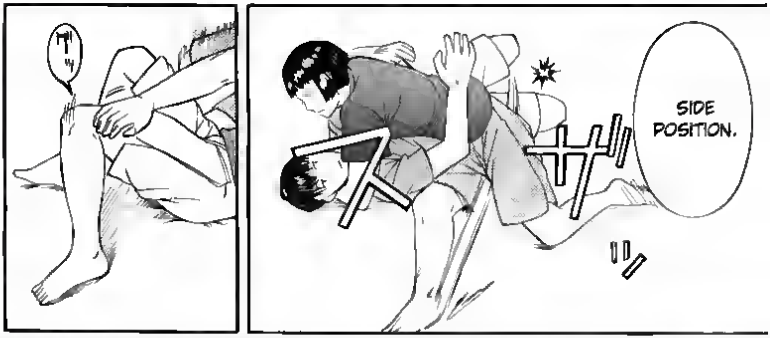
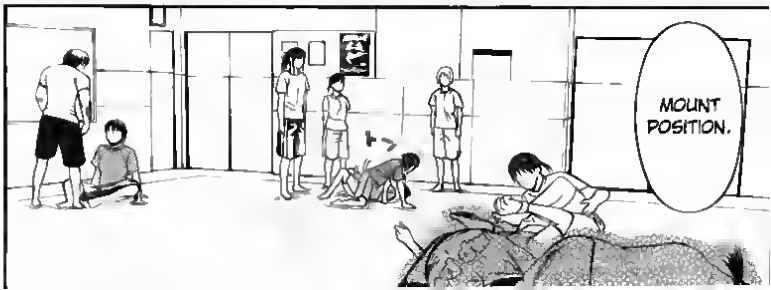
FROM HERE, THE PERSON ON THE GROUND WILL USE A HOLD OR A SWEEP...
I CAN'T SEE WHAT'S IN STORE FOR ME,
THEY'RE AIMING FOR A PASS GUARD.
THE PERSON ON TOP WILL TRY TO OVERCOME THE OPPONENTS GUARD AND GET INTO A BETTER POSITION,
I'LL TAKE THIS ONE STEP AT A TIME...



AND ONE DAY USE ALL THAT I'VE LEARNED

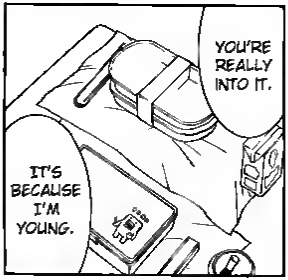


AND DEPENDING ON THE OUTCOME, RAISE MY HANDS IN VICTORY, OR CRY IN DEFEAT...

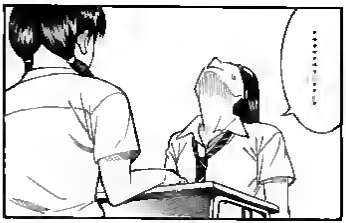


I'M TIRED!!
IT'S HOT!!
I WISH OUR SCHOOL WOULD INSTALL AN AC SYSTEM.
I'M TIRED... IT'S HOT!!
IT'S HOT.. I'M TIRED!!
THINGS ARE LOOKING GOOD NOW.
LATELY, SHE'S NOT LOOKING SO LAZY.
It feels like I'm watching a stray cat.
EVERYTHING FEELS NASTY.
I SERIOUSLY CAN'T STAND SUMMER.
Even though your name is Natsuo ?

IT'S ALMOST SUMMER BREAK.
WILL YOU SPEND YOUR SUMMER AT THE GYM?


YOU'RE REALLY INTO IT.
IT'S BECAUSE I'M YOUNG.

YEAH.
IT'S GOING TO BE PRACTICE, PRACTICE, AND MORE PRACTICE.
THEN WHEN I'M ALL DONE, SOME MORE PRACTICE.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AFTER SEEING YOU LIKE THAT, I WANT TO TRY MY HARDEST IN MY SPORTS ACTIVITIES TOO.
GO RIGHT AHEAD.

KEI, LISTEN ...
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A LITTLE, I GUESS.
IS IT FUN BEING WITH ME?
YOU ALWAYS MAKE YOUR WAY HERE TO MEET WITH ME...
YEAH, IT'S FUN.
WHAT ABOUT YOU?
JUST A LITTLE...
WELL, THIS IS OKAY.
SURE THING.
LET'S GO HAVE FUN SOMEWHERE THIS SUMMER.

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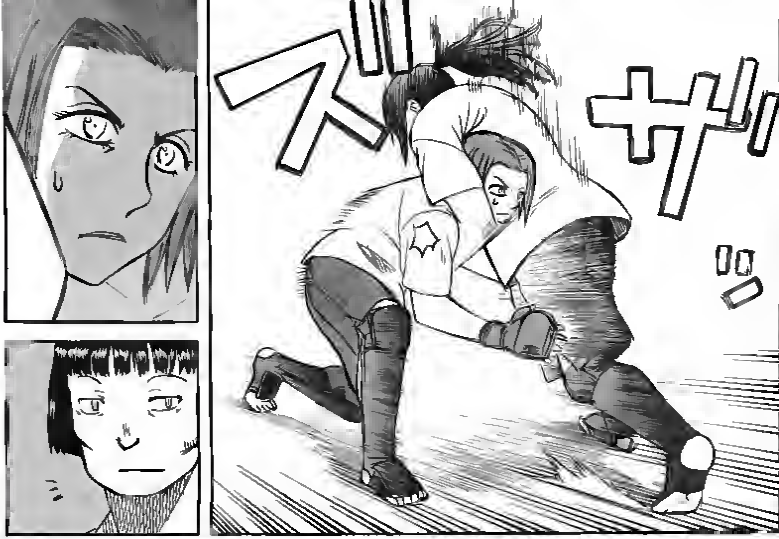
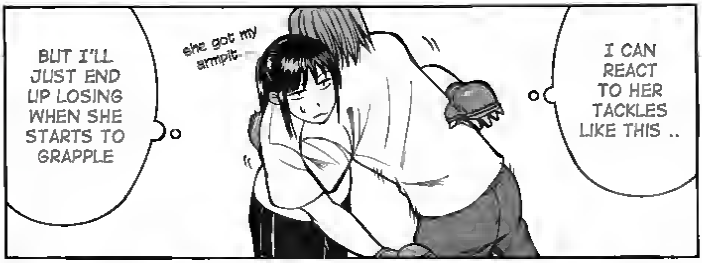
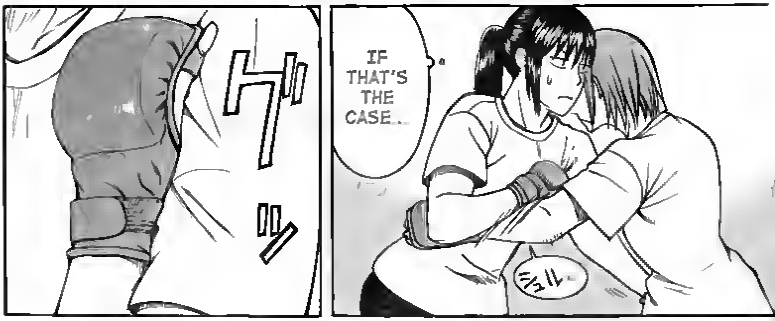



BUT I'LL JUST END UP LOSING WHEN SHE STARTS TO GRAPPLE
she got my armpit...
I CAN REACT TO HER TACKLES LIKE THIS ..


IF THAT'S THE CASE...

ONCE THERE'S ENOUGH DISTAN-CE

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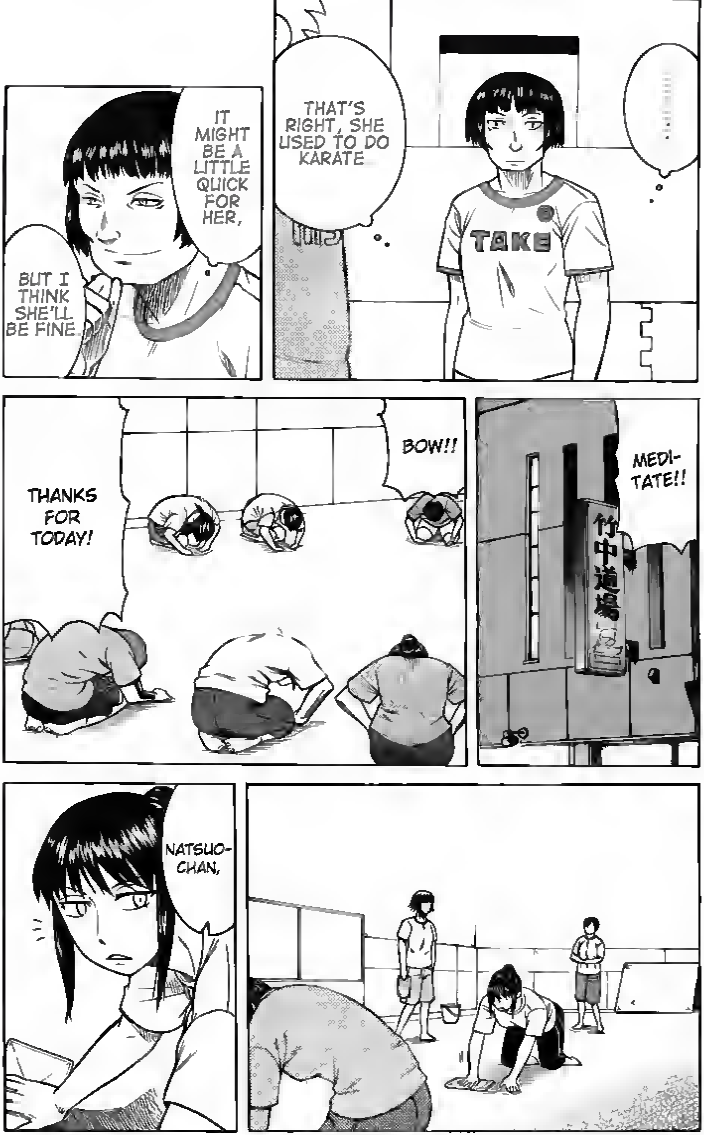
IN A MASS SPAR YOU DON'T HIT YOUR OPPONENT, AND IF YOU DO, ONLY LIGHTLY.
IF IT'S ONLY STRIKING
THEN THERE'S NOTHING TO BE AFRAID OF
OKAY.
At max?
HEY!
YOU'RE DOING A MASS SPAR, YOU'RE NOT SUPPOSED TO HIT YOUR OPPONENT AT MAX!
AND HOW EASILY SHE PUSHED ME ASIDE...
THAT'S REALLY PISSING ME OFF.
HER REACTION TO THE TACKLE


IT MIGHT BE A LITTLE QUICK FOR HER,
BUT I THINK SHE'LL BE FINE.
THAT'S RIGHT, SHE USED TO DO KARATE.
TAKE
THANKS FOR TODAY!
BOW!!
竹中道場
MEDI-TATE!!
NATSUO-CHAN,

I THINK IT WAS... AROUND 65KG...
UMM...
YOU'RE A LOT LIGHTER THAN YOU LOOK... WELL, THAT'S A GOOD WEIGHT NONETHELESS.
HUH!?
HOW MUCH DID YOU WEIGH AGAIN?
Sexual harassment!?
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NEXT MONTH,
DO YOU WANT TO...
PARTICIPATE IN AN AMATEUR MATCH?

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第二武道場
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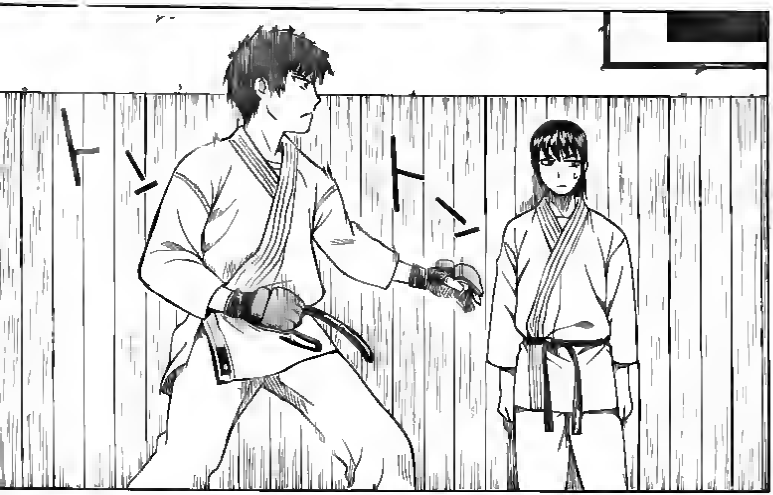
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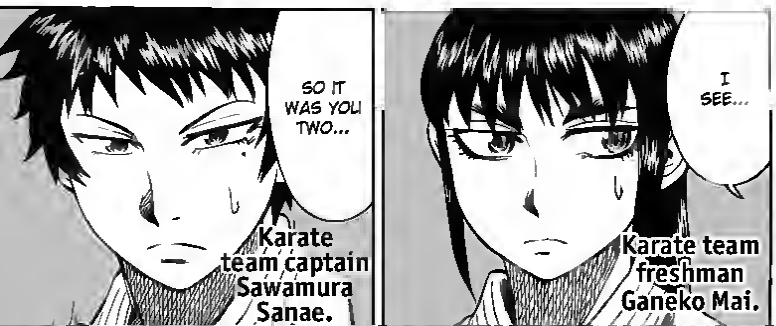
SO IT WAS YOU TWO...
Karate team captain Sawamura Sanae.
I SEE...
Karate team freshman Ganeko Mai.

IT WAS ISHIDOU NATSU-KUN RIGHT?
FINE.
I'LL TELL YOU HOW TO BEAT HER.
Natsuo has her first match coming! And the karate team isn't just rolling over either!
Karate team coach, Kanno Shigeru
Teppu
To be continued